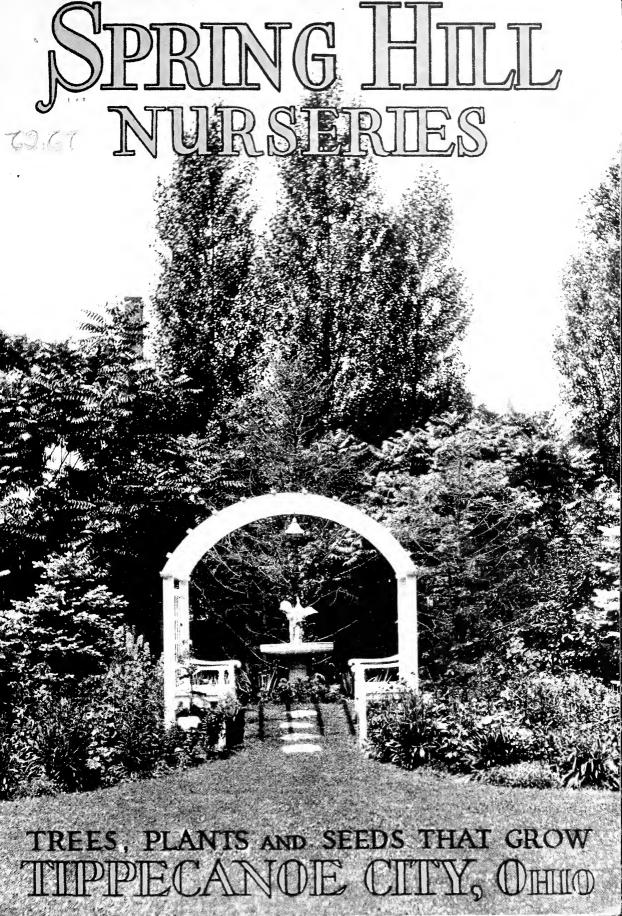
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# TWO BEAUTIFUL NEW CLIMBING ROSES

### MARY WALLACE

Although a good pillar rose, it becomes self-supporting and makes an ideal door-yard bush. The flowers are semi-double, bright clear rose-pink with salmon base. These are often four inches wide, and appear intermittently during

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### CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY

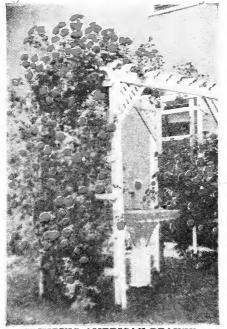
the season, following their first glorious outburst in late spring.

THE OWNER WATCHING THE OWNER OWNE

This new climbing form of the famous pink rose, so long the American favorite for cutting, is as lovely and fragrant and deeply pink as the bush form. The hardy climbing blood with which it is crossed makes it quite healthy, with perfect foliage and strong climbing habit of growth; the abundant bloom being in prime before the June show of the bush type.

### SPECIAL OFFER

	EIT	HER VARIETY	600			
10	for		\$ 4.00			
100	for		\$30.00			
All 2-Year Old Field Grown						



CLIMEING AMERICAN BEAUTY

**SUGGESTIONS** Cover unsightly fences, stumps or stones. Good ground cover for steep hillsides. Screening undesirable views, covering pergolas, arbors, porches, entrance ways, etc.

MARY WALLACE

## SPRING HILL NURSERIES TIPPECANOE CITY, (MIAMI COUNTY) OHIO

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OUR GUARANTEE-We guarantee all our stock to be clean, healthy and free from diseases.

We guarantee that it is exactly as described or illustrated.

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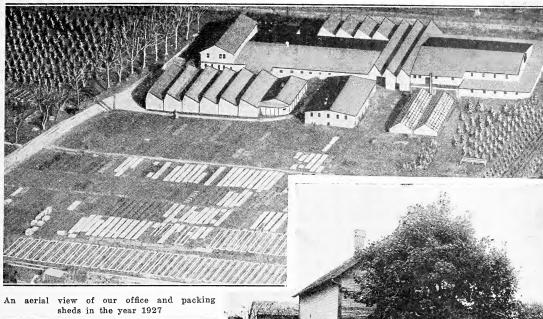
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### OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee all our stock to be true to name, good, clean and healthy first-class stock. We also guarantee it to reach you in good growing condition. If at any time found otherwise we will gladly replace the stock or refund the purchase price. It is mutually agreed and understood that we cannot be held responsible for a greater amount than the original purchase price.



Our office and packing shed in 1889

## YESTERDAY

It seems only yesterday that the SPRING HILL NURSERIES, a small struggling nursery compared to the present day standards, occupied only a few acres of ground. Our buildings were small and our market restricted to fruit trees and a few ornamental plants.

We attribute our growth to the fact that a vast army of home owners have seen the essential part that trees and plants occupy in the home life. They have realized that home grounds are incomplete without them, just as a room is not complete without furnishings. They saw that money invested in plants increased the appearance and value of their property.

And because nursery stock filled a real need in the home life, people bought and we have been blessed with a fair share of this business. By keeping abreast of the times, by constantly trying new and improved methods of growing, digging, handling and packing our goods, so as to give our customers the best value for their money, they have turned to us each year in ever increasing numbers.

We hope to continue to improve, to be constantly able to serve you to your best advantage, and our motto will always be

EVERY CUSTOMER MUST BE SATISFIED



Today we feel that no one in the nursery business is in position to offer you better stock, better service, or better value for your money.

The packing sheds shown above contain about seventy-five thousand square feet of floor space, nearly two acres. If your order is for one plant, or a car load, the stock is all taken under roof out of the wind and sun, so as to reach you in good growing condition.

In these buildings each winter we graft many hundreds of thousands of fruit trees, shrubs and evergreens. They also house our seed rooms where we send flower and vegetable seeds to customers all over the United States and many foreign countries. In the trial grounds shown in the picture we test out all new varieties thoroughly before offering them in our catalogue. Everything possible is done to protect the customer, and when better nursery stock can be grown, we intend to be among the first to grow it. No matter whether your wants are large or small, we solicit your business, and we will do whatever we can to satisfy each customer.

OVER 70 YEARS IN THE NURSERY BUSINESS

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

### PLEASE READ BEFORE PLACING ORDER.

- WE GUARANTEE all our stock which is shipped from our nurseries to be true to name and label, of size specified, best quality, good, clean and healthy, first class stock. We also guarantee our stock to reach you in good condition. If at any time found not to conform to the above guarantee we will gladly replace the stock, free of charge, or refund the purchase price. It is mutually agreed and understood, however, between the purchaser and ourselves, that we cannot be held responsible for a greater amount than the original purchase price of the stock.
- **ADJUSTMENTS**—It is our chief aim to deliver to our customers a full measure of satisfaction. We exercise the utmost care in filling your orders, but in the rush of the season errors will sometimes occur. Please advise us at once of any such error and we will promptly and cheerfully correct it.
- **PRICES**—The prices quoted in our catalog this year cancel all previous price lists. All stock except where noted is quoted F. O. B. our nurseries at Tippecanoe City, Ohio. Only the very best quality stock will be furnished you at the prices quoted herein. Buy direct from us and save money.
- **REMITTANCES**—Charge accounts increase operating expense and this in turn increases the cost of the stock, so remittances should accompany the order. If you cannot send the full remittance with your order, send part of it and we will send the stock to you in the proper season, the balance of your bill C. O. D. Remittances should be made to us by draft, money order or check. If remittance is made in any other form it is best to register the letter to guard against its being lost in the mail.
- **LOCATION**—Our nursery grounds are located in the heart of the Miami Valley, and we have excellent shipping facilities. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and The Dayton and Troy Electric Ry. connect with our nurseries and we are only 14 miles north of Dayton and one mile east of the Dixie Highway. Call and see us, we are glad to have you at any time.

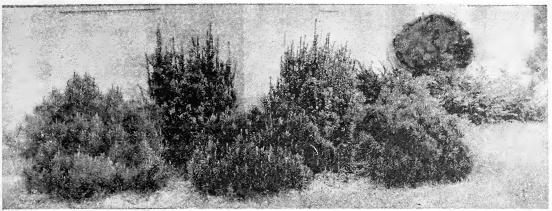
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### SUITABLE DISTANCES FOR PLANTING

				Grapes 8	to	10
Apples, Dwarf	8	to	10	Currants 3	to	4
Pears, Standard	18	to	20	Gooseberries3	to	4
Pears, Dwarf			10	Raspberries, Red 3	to	4
Peaches	16	to	18	Raspherries, Black4	to	5
Nectarines and Apricots				Blackberries5	to	7
Cherries, Sweet	18	to	20	Strawberries, rows1	by	31/2
Cherries, Sour	15	to	18	Strawberries, beds11/2	by	1%
Plums				Asparagus, in beds1		
Quinces				Asparagus, in field1	by	3
				Black Locust4		

**RULE**—Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the plants are apart in the rows, and the product will be the number of square feet for each plant or hill, which, divided into the number of feet in an are 43,560, will give the number of plants or trees to the are.



A Foundation Planting of Dwarf Evergreens

# **BEAUTIFUL EVERGREENS**

Plant Evergreens for all year round beauty. Use them for foundation plantings, windbreaks, or in the open as an ornamental tree.

Evergreens are becoming very popular and will become more so in the near future.

Our Evergreens are properly grown, always dug with a ball of earth and burlapped, and as they have been several times transplanted, they have a perfect root system, thereby assuring success to the planter.

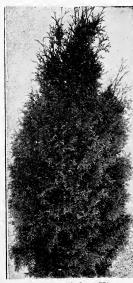
### ARBOR VITAE—THUYA

**AMERICAN** (Occidentalis)—The foliage is of a light green color. This is a very good tree for grouping, for tubs and vases, and for formal uses they are unsurpassed. They are very quick growers and may be trimmed to any desired height. Fine for hedges. 18 to 24 inches, \$1.50 each; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.75 each.

**GEORGE PEABODY'S GOLDEN** (Var. Lutea)—This well known variety of the Golden Arborvitae is very handsome and desirable. Very useful in mass planting. 18 to 24 in., \$2.25.

**SIBERIAN** (Var. Siberica)—Globe-shaped tree, lower and more Globe Arbor Vitae dense than the type, with stout branchlets. Foliage is bright green all the year. A very desirable sort. 15 to 18 inches, \$2.75 each.

**ORIENTAL** (Biota Orientalis)—A pyramidal tree finally attaining a height of 25 feet, very compact form. Foliage is bright green. 18 to 24 inches, \$2.50; 2 to 3 feet, \$3.50 each.



American Arbor Vitae

**PYRAMIDAL** (Var. Pyramidalis)—Forms a tall, slender column of densely branched, dark green foliage. Very graceful tree, having a number of uses. 2 to 3 ft., \$4.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$6.00.

**GLOBE** (Var. Globosa)—A dense, dark green form of the arbor-vitae, growing naturally in globe form. Of dwarf habit. 15 to 18 inches, \$2.75.

**TOM THUMB**—A low growing arbor vitae good for edging evergreen plantings. Foliage similar to Retinospora. Very fine. Price, 12 to 15 inch, \$2.00 each.

### **BIOTA NANA AUREA**

This new evergreen is commonly known as the Golden Chinese Arborvitae. It is a beautiful, compact little evergreen of a dwarf nature. It has a clear yellow color in the springtime which gradually gives way to a yellowishgreen during the winter months. Its size, color, compact habit of growth and foliage makes it especially desirable for Cemetery planting. Price, 15 to 18 inch plants, \$4.25 each.



Tom Thumb Arbor Vitae



TREES

Retinospora Plumosa

### SPRUCE-PICEA

COLORADO BLUE (Pungens)-A handsome and very hardy tree of symmetrical habit, with light, sometimes almost silvery white foliage. Good in landscape work. 18 to 24 in., \$9.00.

COMPACT (Var. Excelsa Compacta)-A dwarf, compact form; originated in the Arnold Arboretum. Light green fo-liage. 12 to 18 inches, \$3.00 each.

**NORWAY** (Excelsa)—This tree is ex-tensively planted in many of the states. Is one of the best conifers to plant for shelter and windbreaks. 18 to 24 in-ches, \$1.25; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00.

**ORIENTAL** (Orientalis)—An exceed-ingly graceful spruce with dark, glossy foliage. It is of slow growth, therefore valuable for small gardens. It holds its lower limbs for many years and event-ually attains the height of 120 feet. 18 to 24 inches, \$2.90.

WHITE (Alba)—A very ornamental tree similar to the Norway Spruce. One of the best for cold climates. Is an up-right, compact grower, and retains its branches to the ground. It can be distinguished by its grayish blue color and quick growth. It matures while comparatively young and lives to a good old age and is altogether very desirable. 18 to 24 inches, \$2.50.

### DOUGLAS SPRUCE-PSEUDOTSUGA

FALSE TSUGA (Taxifolia)—This is the tallest and one of the important for-est trees of western North America. It would be difficult to overrate its beauty. It probably grows faster than any other conifer. Very desirable for grouping. 2 to 3 feet, \$4.50.

### HEMLOCK SPRUCE-TSUGA

**HEMLOCK SPRUCE** (Canadensis)—This is one of the most graceful and handsome of the evergreens and is especially valuable for hedgings of ever-greens, windbreaks, and for specimen planting. The lumber of this tree is much used for frames of buildings. Finally attains a height of 70 to 80 ft. 2 to 3 ft.. \$3.50.

### CYPRESS-RETINOSPORA

**GOLDEN JAPAN** (Plumosa, var. Aurea.)—This is a very striking and use-ful evergreen in many ways, as it is one of the few really golden evergreens. It makes a strong and effective contrast with the darker foliage of other evergreens. It is low branched and a very vigorous grower and is unsurpassed for effect in grouping. 18 to 24 inches, \$3.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$4.50.

**PLUMED** (Plumosa)—Young growth of this variety is a beautiful golden. Is very desirable. 1½ to 2 feet, \$3.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$4.50 each.

**SAWARA** (Pisifera)—A tall-growing tree with horizontal branches; branchlets flattened, and somewhat pendulous. One of the best Retinospora, being highly ornamental and well known. 2 to 3 feet, \$4.25, each.

### JUNIPERS-JUNIPERUS

CHINESE (Chinensis, var. Pfitzeriana)-A tree forming a broad pyramid with horizontally spreading branches. 18 to 24 inches, \$4.50 each.

IRISH JUNIPER (Communis, var. Hibernica)-A narrow, columnar form, with upright branches, deep bluish green, tips of branches erect. 2 to 3 feet, \$3.50 each.

**RED CEDAR** (Virginiana)—This evergreen attains a height of 100 feet, with conical head and spreading or upright branches. Leaves are spiny pointed. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00.

SAVIN (Sabina)-A low, wide-spreading, thickly branched evergreen shrub rarely 5 ft. high. 15 to 18 ins., \$3.00.

### YEW-TAXUS

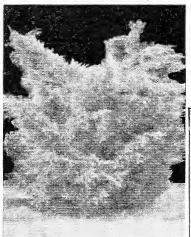
JAPANESE (Cuspidata)-A most desirable dark green foliage plant, suited for single specimens or for grouping. 18 to 24 inches, \$4.00.

**SHORT LEAVED** (Cuspidata, var. Brevifolia)—This is a dwarf very compact form of the yew, with leaves shorter than the type. 15 to 18 inches, \$3.00.

### FIR—ABIES

**BALSAM** (Balsamea)—An ornamental evergreen that is very hardy. The fragrant leaves are dark green above and pale beneath. For ornamental purposes it is unexcelled. Grows rather rapidly when young. Requires good drainage. 2 to 3 feet, \$2.50.

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with age. Branches arranged in horizontal whorls. Price, 2 to 3 ft., \$4.50.

CONCOLOR (White Fir)-

glaucous tinge when

A picturesque Colorado spe-

cies; long, leathery leaves,

young, becoming pale green

Irish Juniper

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### BULBS

EVERGREENS Varieties in Great Demand

state of Ohio. AUSTRIAN PINE-This species is very popular for



Juniper, Sabina (See page 4)

### **EVERGREEN** SHRUBS AND VINES

EUONYMOUS RADICANS - An evergreen climbing vine, or can be grown as a low shrub. Makes a beautiful evergreen covering for a foundation wall, back of a shrubbery plant-ing. Grows in either sun or shade. Price 50c each, 3 for \$1.35.

**EUONYMOUS VEGETUS** (Evergreen Bitter Sweet)-Bears beautiful berries like the common Bitter Sweet. Holds its large glossy green leaves throughout the year. Very hardy, low dense shrub. Price, 50c each, 3 for \$1.35.

EUONYMOUS JAPONICA-Broad evergreen ornamental tree or shrub. Not hardy north of the Ohio River. Price, 18 to 24 in., \$1.00 each.

MAHONIA AQUIFOLIA (Holly Leaved Barberry) (Oregon Grape)-A hardy evergreen shrub having hollylike leaves. Can be used in evergreen

and shrubbery planting and will do well in partial shade. Price, 15 to 18 inches, 80c each; 3 for \$2.00.

ENGLISH IVY-A hardy evergreen climbing vine with dark green leaves. It is a true evergreen and retains its bright, green leaves all winter and much used for Cemetery work. Price, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.



English Ivy

**ILEX OPACA** (American ornamental tree which produces red berries in the fall. Hardy as far north as central Ohio. The kind of holly we get for the Christmas Holidays. 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50 each.

PACHYSANDRA (Japanese Spurge)—This is a new evergreen trailing plant 6 to 18 inches high and forms broad mats of bright, shiny, green foliage. A good ground cover which will grow in all shady locations, and the only plant that will thrive under pine Price, strong field grown trees. plants, 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.

Mahonia Aquifolia

growth when young and when older are very pic-Should turesque. be planted when young from nurs-ery row. Prices 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00.

SCOTCH PINE -This grows to be a large tree, seventy to one hundred and twenty feet in height, with spreading, somewhat pendulous branches pyramidal when young, with broad and round top, often picturesque head in old age. Quite hardy. 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00 each.

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Norway Spruce (See page 4)

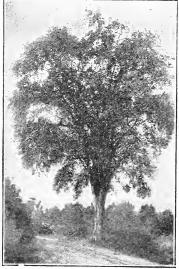
# **ORNAMENTAL SHADE TREES**



American Ash

Ornamental shade trees play an important part in the arrangement of all lawns and parks. They are often invaluable as windbreaks, supply shade, and help retain the moisture—conditions that are essential to the growth of many of the choicest shrubs and perennials. There are trees noteworthy for

There are trees noteworthy for their profusion of bloom; some for the unusual color of bark or leaves; and some for the strength of their limbs. Some trees will endure smoke much better than others, making them valuable for city planting.



American Elm

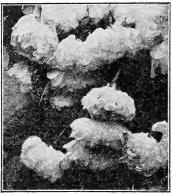
### ASH-FRAXINUS

AMERICAN WHITE (Americana)—A handsome, hardy, broad headed, quick growing shade tree, sometimes reaching 120 feet in height. Very valuable in landscape work, for park and street planting, 6 to 8 feet, \$1.25.

**EUROPEAN MOUNTAIN** (Sorbus Aucuparia)—An ornamental deciduous tree with beautiful foliage, which turns orange-red in the fall. The fruits are showy and often remain all winter, if not eaten by the birds. Not particular as to soil. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.60.

### BEECH-FAGUS

AMERICAN (Grandiflora)—A noble, native tree of large size and round, spreading habit. Attractive at all times but especially so in winter and early spring, when the bark is grayish-white. The medium sized, triangular-shaped nuts are sweet and fine flavored. 4 to 6 feet, \$1.50 each.

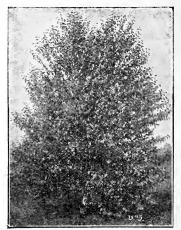


Japanese Flowering Cherry

### LINDEN-TILIA

**AMERICAN LINDEN** (Basswood—A beautiful, rapid-growing tree with large, broad leaves and fragrant flowers. The bloom furnishes the best of bee pasture. The linden should be extensively used as a lawn tree; it is also very valuable for park and street planting. It thrives in moist, rich soil, but does well in any good soil. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.25.

### **C. PSEUDO-CERASUS** JAPANESE DOUBLE-FLOWERING CHERRY— These magnificent trees, of which we cultivate two distinct colors, cannot be adequately described, except by comparing them with charming double roses. One form has white flowers and the other bright pink blooms. Both are hardy and reliable. 3-4 ft. \$2.50.



American Beech

Elms are considered the best
 of all the street trees and are used in greater quantities than probably all other kinds or varieties combined. In planting Elms

**E N G LIS H** (Campestris)— Planted as avenue tree. Foliage remains green several weeks later than American Elm. 8 to 10 feet, \$2.00 each.

do not crowd them.

**AMERICAN** (Americana) — Very valuable for park planting, for avenues, and as a shade tree for lawns. One of the most majestic and graceful of our shade trees. Hardy, a rapid grower, resists drought well, and is long lived. 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.50 each; 10 to 12 feet, \$2.00 each.



American Plane

### **ORNAMENTAL SHADE TREES**--CONTINUED



Silver Maple

MAPLE-ACER

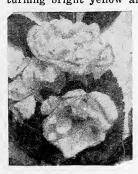
BOX ELDER (Negundo)-Large, spreading tree of rapid growth; very hardy, and a good drought resister. Largely planted for wind breaks and timber. Leaves resemble those of the ash. 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each.

NORWAY (Platanoides)-Large, handsome tree with a compact rounded head of spreading branches, attaining a height of 75 feet. The broad, deep green leaves cast a

dense, refreshing shade. One of the best and most beautiful trees for the street, the park, cemetery, or lawn planting. 6 to 8 ft., no branches, \$2.00; 8 to 10 ft., \$3.00. SILVER (Saccharinum)—This

is one of the best known of all maples. It is an ornamental tree with wide, slender spreading branches. Thrives almost anybranches. Thrives almost any-where, but grows very rapidly in moist, rich soil. 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each. **SUGAR**, or **ROCK** (Saccharum) —Large trees to 120 feet with

gray bark. Long lived. Grows well except in damp, soggy soils. An excellent street and shade tree of upright, dense growth. Leaves



Halleana Flowering Crab

### DOGWOOD-CORNUS

FLORIDA (White Dogwood)-Handsome tree of medium size, flowering after red buds when most other trees are still bare. Great white flowers are three inches across, lasting in favorable weather for several weeks. The bright red bark on its young branches makes it cheery in winter. Blooms when small. 2 to 3 feet, 70c each; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each. FLORIDA (Var. Rubra)—A very beautiful form of the dogwoods with blossoms that are pink on the outside of the petals. 2 to 3 feet, \$3.00.



Weeping Birch



Norway Maple

turning bright yellow and scarlet in autumn. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.50 each; 8 to 10 feet, \$2.25 each.

SCHWEDLERII (Purple-leaved Norway Map-le)—One of the most beautiful of the shade trees. In early spring the young leaves are bright red, changing to purplish green as they grow older. In autumn, they are golden yellow. The tree has a round, compact head and large leaves which cast a dense shade, 6 to 8 feet, no branches \$2.00 each.

### JAPANESE MAPLES

These are the most delicately beautiful of the small trees. In some of the varieties the leaves are delicately cut. Deep blood red fol-iage. There is not a dwarf tree anywhere to compare with the Japanese Maple for grace and beauty. Grow best in partially shaded locations and in rich and well drained soil. 18 to 24 inch, \$4.50 each \$4.50 each. 77

## FLOWERING CRAB-PYRUS FLORIBUNDA-A small tree often

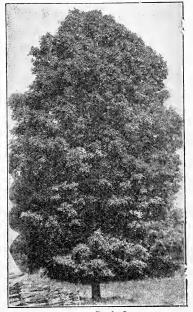
thorny, covered with beautiful rose-red flowers about the time the leaves appear. The fruit is small, red and borne on long, slender stalks. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00.

BECHTEL'S FLOWERING CRAB-The most beautiful of the flowering crabs. The trees rarely grow over twenty-five feet, and bloom when quite young. At a distance the fragrant, delicate pink flowers look like dainty little roses. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50 each.

HALLEANA (Parkman's Flowering HALLEANA (Parkman's Flowering Crab)—A dwarf or small tree growing from six to fifteen feet high. Its beautiful flowers are rose-colored, half-double, and The hang on slender, reddish pedicels. fruit is small, brownish red, and ripens quite late. In every way a beautiful tree. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each; 4 to 5 feet, \$1.50 each.

### BIRCH-BETULA WHITE BIRCH

Of wonderful grace and beauty. Tall, vigorous, with slender, drooping branches; foliage colors brilliant in fall, and its bare white trunk and branches are very beautiful in winter. 4 to 6 ft., \$1.50.



Sugar or Rock Maple

## **ORNAMENTAL SHADE TREES--CONTINUED**



Pin Oak

### POPLAR-POPULUS

EUGENE, or CAROLINA (Eugenei) -One of the surest, most rapid growing trees. It will grow where other trees appear weak and starved. The leaves are glossy and fresh looking. Valuable for quick effect. 8 to 10 feet, 75c each; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.25 each.

LOMBARDY (Nigra, var Italica)— One of the characteristic trees of Italy. With age, the Lombardy poplar becomes one of the most striking and picturesque trees, particularly when some of the sprouts are allowed to grow about the old stock. Excellent for landmarks. 6 to 8 ft., 50c; 8 to 10 ft., \$1.00; 10 to 12 ft., \$1.25.

### TULIP TREE-LIRIODENDRON

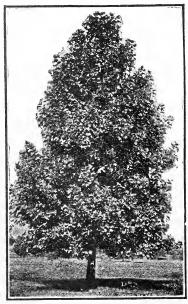
YELLOW WOOD (Tulipifera)-Tall, handsome, hardy, ornamental, pyramidal habit, rapid growth. Has clean foliage, light bluish green; rarely attacked by insects, fragrant yellow and orange flowers in June. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.50 each.

**OAK**—QUERCUS Prices on All Kinds of Oak Trees, 6 to 8 feet, \$1.50 **SCARLET OAK** (Coccinea)—A noble tree, attaining a height of eighty feet. Has gradually spreading branches, which form a rather open head. Grows and thrives in dry locations. Especially beautiful in fall, when the leaves turn to a beautiful scarlet.

PIN (Palustris)—Handsome tree, especially when young. Often used for avenues; grows rapidly, prefers a somewhat moist soil. The foliage turns bright red in fall.

RED (Rubra)-Beautiful oak, of rapid growth.

Some varieties are not on the market, but the varieties we offer below are the best that can be had at the present time. Transplant in Spring only.



Tulip Tree

SWEET or WHITE BAY (M. Glauca)—Slender tree or large shrub. \$3.00 each.

UMBRELLA TREE (Mag-nolia Tripetela)—Grows to 40 ft., \$2.50.

### **EMPRESS TREE** PAULOWNIA

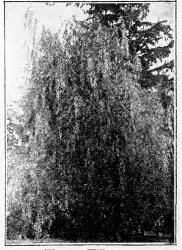
A tree with immense, large leaves that produce a detropical appearance. cidedly The large panicles of blue trumpet-shaped flowers are sweet-scented and appear in June. When winter-killed stems may be cut to the ground and new ones will soon grow up. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each.

### WILLOW-SALIX GOLDEN BARK, VITEL-LINA AUREA-A most graceful tree of large size. Its long, wavy branches of highly colored gold bark are very attrac-tive. Very conspicuous during the winter months. Showy at any time. Price, 4 to 5 feet,



Lombardy Poplar

**KEW TREE**—GINKGO MAIDEN HAIR (Bilboa) -A tall sparsely branched, usually slender tree, attaining 60 to 80 feet in height. Especially valuable for solitary planting to secure picturesque effects; growing in favor as a street tree because of upright habit and their freedom from insect injury. Leaves are fanshaped. 6 to 8 feet, \$2.50 each.



Weeping Willow

\$1.25 each.



English Walnut



# NUT TREES

Almost every farm contains land that should be planted to nut trees adapted to the soil. Nuts in many cases pay better than farm crops or fruits, while most kinds are making a growth of valuable timber that will of itself pay a large per cent on the investment.

### PECAN

Pecan growing is becoming a favorite industry in the Southern and Western States and is quite profitable. The trees are long lived, quite hardy and productive. A species of hickory which may well rank first among our native nuts. They are large, thin-shelled, full kernels, and of rich flavor. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.

### ENGLISH WALNUT

A fine ornamental tree that grows well in the climate of the Middle States and bears freely. Large profits are realized from the orchards of California and the South and still large quantities of these nuts are imported. The nut is about the size of a black walnut; it has a thin shell and contains a large kernel which has a very delicate flavor. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.40 each; 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00 each.

### WHITE WALNUT OR BUTTERNUT

This tree is chiefly esteemed for its abundant crops of fruit, which abounds in oil, and is sweet and rich. The form of the nut is oblong, oval, and narrowed to a point at the extremity. The husk is covered with a sticky gum, and the surface of the nut is much rougher than any other of the walnuts. The tree is considered val-uable as a park tree. 2 to 3 feet, 40c; 3 to 4 feet, 75c.

### **BLACK WALNUT**

This is one of the largest, grandest, and most massive of our forest trees. It is a favorite of the landscape gardener. A very good tree for public planting on ac-count of its rapid growth and handsome foliage. The timber of this tree is very valuable. The nuts are large, round, covered with a thick husk, and the kernel has a fine flavor, much liked by many people. 3 to 4 feet, 75c each.

Butter Nut

# WEEPING TRE

The weeping trees are very interesting as well as beautiful and effective when rightly placed upon the lawn, or in the park. The charm of these trees is not their stateliness and grandeur so much as it is the odd and fantastic shapes which they so often assume. The best and most satisfactory are offered below.

### WEIR'S CUT LEAF WEEPING MAPLE

This variety of the maple has very pendulous branches and the leaves are deeply cleft, giving them almost a fern-like appearance. 6 to 8 feet, \$2.00.

### WEEPING MULBERRY

(Alba, var. Tartarica Pendula)—We recommend this as one of the thriftiest, hardiest and most beautiful of the weeping trees, with slender, willowy branches that sweep the ground, forming a beautiful tent of green. 2 year heads, \$3.50 each.

### WEEPING WILLOW

**GOLDEN WEEPING** (Elegantissima)—A strong and the most vigorous grower of all the weeping willows. Used for planting in low places or on the banks of streams, springs, lakes or ponds, making a very beautiful effect. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00 each.

WISCONSIN WEEPING (Dolorosa)—A weeping tree of rarely more than 40 feet in height. The branches are long, slender and pendulous. Trees are quite hardy and will stand planting in the northern states. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00 each.

### WEEPING CUT LEAF BIRCH

Birches not only form an interesting class of trees, but they are also beau-tiful and ornamental. They are especially desirable for park and other ornamental planting. The bark usually separates into thin, papery leaves. The foliage is rarely attacked by insects. Their graceful habit, slender and often pendulous branches, and their picturesque white trunks, make them conspicuous marks on any land-scene. Price 6 to 9 th 9 th 000 costs. scape. Price 6 to 8 ft., \$4.00 each.



Pecans make fine ornamental trees

### JAPAN WALNUT

Large, spreading top of this tree makes it very ornamental. Trees very hardy, having stood a temperature of twenty degrees be-low zero without injury, begins to bear when three years old. The bear when three years old. The nuts are larger than the common hickory nut and borne in clusters of from ten to twenty. The shells are moderately thick, the kernels are sweet. Should be extensively planted. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.



Catalpa Bungeii

### CATALPA BUNGEII

**UMBRELLA TREE**—Just the tree to be used for formal effects. Propagated on a stem of the Catal-pa Speciosa. It makes a very uni-que ornamental tree, Has a broad, dome-shaped head at the top of a long, straight stem. When the tree attains its full growth, the top is often 15 feet in diameter and not over 3 te 4 feet tall on top of a strong stem from 5 to 7 feet in height. An exceptionally hardy var-iety. 5 to 7 feet, 1 year heads, \$1.50 each; 2 year heads, \$2.60. UMBRELLA TREE-Just the

TREES

### SPRING HILL NURSERIES

PLANTS



A walk with nature in her undisturbed retreats will soon reveal to her student and lover that she

certain species of shrubs in the various localities. These varieties are frequently good to be used when beautifying the home surroundings, but aside from these, many other varieties are always needed to add variety and many times to aid in making up the succession of bloom.

In many ways nature may be followed. It has been noted among other things that isolated specimens are seldom if ever to be found. Here we learn to plant in masses or groups for best results. Do not delay another season in planting at least some shrubs, for they add materially to the beauty and attractiveness of any home or public place. Shrubs provide material of a permanent character for the adornment of property

at less cost and more effectively than anything else.

### ALMOND

### PRUNUS

DOUBLE FLOWERING ALMOND (Amygdalus, var. Plena)—Pink and white varieties. Hardy as far north as Ontario. Flowers very double and ap-pear in early spring. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each; 2 for \$1.40.

**PURPLE LEAVED PLUM** (Cerasifera, var. Pissardi)—One of the best of all purple-leaved trees, holding much of its color in the American summers. It seems to be hardy wherever the com-mon plum is. 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00 each.

#### ALTHEA ROSE OF SHARON

HIBISCUS SYRIACUS—One of the commonest of the ornamental shrubs, and hardy as far north as Ontario. The shrub is valuable for specimen planting and its bright green leaves and great abundance of variously colored flowers make it very effective when planted as a hedge. The color ranges from blue-purple to violet-red, flesh color, and white. There are also double forms The plants we offer are strong field

color, and white. There are also double torms The plants we offer are strong, field grown, two and three year Hedge Section for prices on hedge size plants. JEANNE D'ARC-Double white. RUBIS-Single red.

TOTUS ALBUS-Single white. AMPLISSIMA-Purple. Shrub form. BOULE DE FEU-Double red. Shrub form.

MONSTROUS-Double red. Prices: 2 to 3 feet 35c each, 3 for

\$1.00.

\$1.00. **ARALIA** (Pentaphyllum)—Five leav-ed Aralia. 6-8 ft. Yellow, June. This is an unusually hardy shrub, thriving in very adverse soil and city condi-tions. It will grow under the shade of trees where all else fails. The flow-ers are inconspicuous but the foliage is very attractive. The canes are in-clined to be prickly and comparative-ly upright in their habit of growth Prices 2 to 3 ft., 50c each; 3 for \$1.25. \$1.25.



Flowering Almond BASTARD INDIGO

interesting ornamental shrub of spreading habit with fine, feathery foliage, re-markable for the unusual colfine, or of its dark violet-purplsih flowers. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00





Golden Elder

### CORNUS

dense growth, glossy leaves; attractive in early spring with its yellow flowers. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.

**ELEGANTISSIMA**—This is a beautiful plant. The leaves marked with white. 18 to 24 in., 50c; 2 to 3 feet, 75c ea. 2 for \$1.40.

**RED TWIGGED** (Sanguinea)—Grows 10 to 12 feet high, purple or dark blood-red branches. Flowers greenish-white. Fruit is black. 18 to 24 inches, 30c; 2 to 3 feet, 40c each.

WHITE WHITE (Florida)—Handsome foliage, often assuming a brilliant fall coloring; large, white, snowy flowers appearing in May. 18 to 24 in., 35c; 2 to 3 ft., 70c; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50.

Althea in Blossom



Dog Wood Elegantissima

### **TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO**

# HARDY SHRUBS—CONTINUED



BARBERRY BERBERIS

These beautiful shrubs are very valuable for planting in the shrubbery border or for hedges. They readily adapt themselves to almost any location.

tion. **JAPANE**<sup>2</sup>E (Thunbergii)—Of all the barberries in cultivation this one is probably the best known, the most planted, and the most effective. It is one of the valuable introductions we have received from Japan and is especially to be desired because of its low, dense, horizontal growth, the bright fall coloring leaves, and the brilliant red berries that remain fresh and attractive until the following spring. It is quite hardy and will thrive equally well in shade or in sunny locations. Especially val uable for planting along walks and drives and for massing in the border. 12 to 18 inches, 25c each; 18 to 24 inches, 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.

### **BLUE SPIREA** CARYOPTERIS

MASTACANTHUS-Ornamental, woody plants growing their lavender-blue flowers profusely in late summer and autumn. Not altogether hardy, as

the tops frequently winter kill almost to the ground, but will throw up numerous shoots that will flower the same season. Not strictly a spirea, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

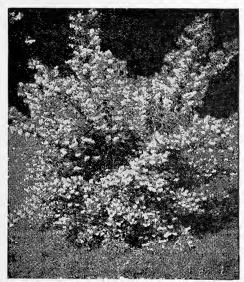
### DEUTZIA

An elegant species of strong, erect-growing shrubs. Especially prized for the beautiful clus-ters of blossoms in May.

**PRIDE OF ROCHESTER**—Showy, early, large-flowering sort; blossoms in May before others. Grows 6 to 8 feet high. White flowers. large and double. One of the best of the Deut-zias. 2 to 3 feet, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**LEMOINEII**—Spreading shrub to three feet in height. Its pure white flowers appear in broad panicles. A very desirable shrub, more vigorous and with more showy flowers than some of the other forms. Excellent for forcing. Very hardy. 18 to 24 in., 50c; 3 for \$1.40.

GRACILIS-A handsome, dwarf, and bushy little shrub with slender, often arching branches. A neat shrub that blooms in May, clothing its branches in pure white flowers. Valuable for shrubberies or for forcing. 12 to 18 inches, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.



Deutzia Pride of Rochester



**Golden Bell Fortune's** Very attractive throughout the year; in winter the light green branches, in early June when the yellow flowers appear in great abundance; and again in autumn when the leaves have changed to a clear yellow. Not quite hardy in the northern states. 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 for \$1.40.

### **GOLDEN BELL**

FORSYTHIA FORTUNE'S (Var. Fortunei)—Grows with upright or arching branches. 18 to 24 inches, 30c each; 3 to 4 ft., 40c each; 3 for \$1.10

WEEPING (Suspensa)—Highly ornamental, free flowering shrub, growing to 5 feet; the branches often drooping on the ground and taking root. They grow in almost any garden soil and are hardy north. The golden yellow flowers appear in early spring. Excellent for margins or groups. 2 to 3 ft., 35c each; 3 to 4 ft., 40c each; 3 for \$10 3 for \$1.10.

#### WHITE FRINGE CHIONANTHUS

VIRGINIA — Another very desirable large growing shrub, bearing racemes of fringe-like white flowers late in May. Its purple fruit is highly ornamental, as also the lustrous foliage. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each.

#### FLOWERING LOCUST ACACIA

FLOWERING LOCUST (Hispida)-This shrub is valued for the legant clusters of rose colored flowers, which expand toward the last of May and continue for some time. The branches resemble the Moss Rose. Beautiful for planting in masses, 18 to 24 inches, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

### JAPANESE QUINCE

**JAPAN** (Japonica)—Common garden form, growing from 3 to 6 feet with spreading, spiny branches. The scarlet-red flowers appear before the leaves and are followed by globular fruits from one and one-half to two inches high. 18 to 24 in., 50e each; 3 for \$1.40.



SEEDS

Cydonia (Fire Bush)

### ELDER SAMBUCUS

AMERICAN (Canadensis)-A val-**AMERICAN** (Canadensis)—A valuable addition to the shrubbery family. It grows from five to twelve feet in height. Its flowers are white in flat cymes the fruit is black and ripens in August. 2 to 3 feet, 60c each; 3 for \$1.70.

**GOLDEN** (Var. Aurea)—A variety of the American with foliage of a beautiful golden color. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

### **GLOBE FLOWER** KERRIA

JAPANESE ROSE (Japonica)-One of the first shrubs brought from Japan. It grows from four to

## HARDY SHRUBS—CONTINUED



Fragrant Bush Honeysuckle

### HYPERICUM ST. JOHN'S WORT

Shrubs and herbs, with mostly yellow flowers. The form is compact and rounded, with some-what persistent leaves.

**H. MOSEEIANUM**—A novelty of decided merit on account of its large, glistening golden yellow flowers, produced freely from midsummer until hard frost. It is quite dwarf in habit. 12 to 18 in., 50c.

**H. PROLIFICUM**—Shrubby St. John's Wort. This excellent shrub blooms profusely from the middle of summer until autumn, and its bright yellow flowers are especially attractive at this season. It is sub-evergreen in character. 12 to 18 inches, 50c.

### HONEYSUCKLE LONICERA

**FRAGRANT BUSH** (Fragrantissima)—Not quite hardy north of Detroit. It has handsome half evergreen foliage and blooms very early. Sweet-scented though the flowers are not very showy. 18 to 24 inches, 30c; 2 to 8 ft., 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**MORROWI**—A very decorative shrub that reaches six feet in height. The beautiful, pure white flowers appear in May or June and are followed by red fruits, which remain until late autumn. 18 to 24 inches, 30c; 2 to 3 ft., 40c; 3 to 4 ft., 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

**TARTARIAN** (Tartarica)—This is one of the old-time favorite shrubs. It attains about ten feet in height and is extremely easy to cultivate. The upper lip is deeply divided and spreading. 18 to 24 in., 30c; 2 to 3 ft., 40c; 3 to 4 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.



Spirea Van Houttei

### THE SPIREAS

There is no more dependable shrub than Spirea. Its graceful foliage and growth and the beautiful blossoms are a delight the season through.

**ABGUTA**—A very vigorous grower and one of the most free flowering and showy of the early Spireas. Is quite hardy. The pure white flowers appear in May. 18 to 24 in., 40c; 2 to 3 ft., 60c each.

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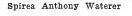
**THUNERGII**—Five feet high. A very graceful shrub; early flowering. The slender arching branches clothed wth feathery, bright green foliage, turning in the fall to orange and scarlet. Almost hardy, but tips of branches are sometimes killed by severe cold. The pure white flowers about one-third of an inch across, appearing in April or May. 18 to 24 in., 65c; 3 for \$1.50.

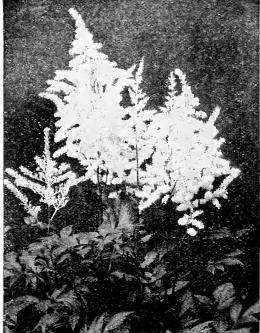
**VAR. ANTHONY WATEREB** A very free-flowering, compace

A very free-flowering, compact, dwarf shrub, with bright crimson flowers in dense corymbs. A very desirable variety that blooms all summer. 12 to 18 in., 60c ea.; 3 for \$1.40.

**VAN HOUTTEI.**—This is one of the most beautiful or perhaps the most beautiful of the early blooming Spireas, and is quite hardy. It grows to a height of six feet with arching branches that are completeby covered with pure white flowers in May. 18 to 24 in., 25c; 2 to 3 ft., 40c; 3 to 4 ft., 50c; 3 for \$1.40.

SPIREA SORBIFOLIA—A fern leaved spirea, producing large, white plume like flowers in great abundance. A beautiful shrub both in foliage and in bloom. Can be used in group plantings or as single specimens. Price 2 to 3 ft., 65c each; 3 for \$1.75.





Spirea Sorbifolia

# HARDY SHRUBS—CONTINUED



### PHILADELPHUS VIRGINAL BLOOMS THRUOUT THE SEASON

This is a new and wonderful addi-tion to the Mock Orange family but is far beyond anything in this line that has been brought out in the past. It is without question one of the most beautiful shrubs grown and once it becomes known will be planted on every home ground. Because of its being new the supply of this variety is scarce and high supply of this variety is scarce and high priced, but we are going to offer these at the following low prices as long as our supply of this shrub lasts. Price, 18 to 24 in. 60c each; 10 for \$5.00. Large, 2 to 3 ft., plants, \$1.00 each; 10 for \$9.00.

Common Snowball spreading branches, usually upright and vigorous, flowers slightly fragrant Rapid grower and most hardy. 18 to 24 in., 30c; 2 to 8 ft., 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.

**LEMOINEII**—Graceful shrub with slender, arching branches. The blossoms appear in three to seven inch short racemes, very sweet scented. 18 to 24 in., 35c; 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.

**CORONARIUS** (Mock Orange)—This is not quite as showy as some of the other species and of somewhat stiff habit, but delicious-ly fragrant. 18 to 24 in., 30c; 2 to 3 ft., 40c each; 3 for

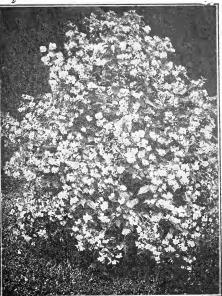
\$1.10.

**VAR. AUREA**—Similar to the above variety except that the foliage is a beautiful golden color. 12 to 18 inches, 50c; 18 to 24 inches, 60c each.

BOUQUET BLANC-A real white bouquet of immense size. We can only urge you to in-clude it with your order; we know you will not be disappointed, because it has no equal anywhere. The time, experience, and patience to properfence, and partence to partence to the second value such wonderful plants as these can only be realized by those who have worked with them. 18 to 24 inches, 55c; 2 to 3 ft., 75c each; 2 for \$1.40.



Philadelphus Virginal



Philadelphus. Grandiflora

SNOWBALL VIBURNUM

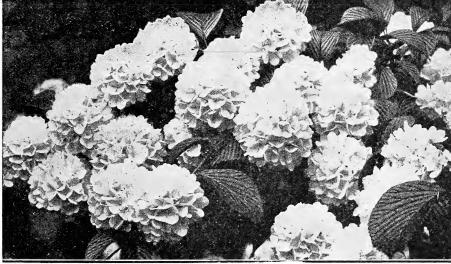
**ABBOW WOOD** (Dentatum)—A gorgeous, upright, native shrub, thriving best in most soil. It is especially hardy, doing well from New Brunswick to Minnesota. It blooms in May or June, followed by black fruit. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

**COMMON** (Var. Sterilis)—This is the well known, common snowball of the old-fashioned May, the foliage is decorative and assumes a bright color in fall. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

HIGH BUSH CRANBERRY (Opulus). Handsome native shrub attaining twelve feet. with rather smooth, light branches and stems.

The pure white flowers appear in May and June, followed by decora-tive fruits, which begin to color by the end of July and remain on the branches and keep their bright scarlet color until the fol-lowing spring. The berries are not eaten by birds. 18 to 24 in., 40c; 2 to 3 feet, 60c each; 3 for \$1.70.

JAPANESE (To mentosum, var Plicatum)-One olf the choicest shrubs. Foliage is abund. ant during the summer and fall, and its balls of pure white are borne in great profusion. Fine for specimen planting. 18 to 24 in., 60c; 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00.



Japanese Snowball

### TREES

### SPRING HILL NURSERIES

## HARDY SHRUBS-CONTINUED

**LANTANA**—This is a hardy shrub, especially for dry situations and limestone soil. The large, white flower clusters open in May and June, and are followed by red fruits. The foliage is particularly soft and heavy. 2 to 3 ft., 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

### TAMARIX

These plants are very beautiful all the year, in winter for their coloring of the bark and in summer for the light green, feathery foliage and large loose panicles of purplish flowers.

AFRICANA-Is an upright grower. Blooms in May. 2 to 3 ft., 35 each; 3 for \$1.00.

**HISPIDA**—A graceful shrub, upright branches, flowers pink, appearing in August. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

### HYDRANGEAS

**ARBORESCENS** (Var. Sterilis), (Hills of Snow)—Almost all of the flowers are sterile. Very showy variety, excellent for borders. 18 to 24 in., 50c; 2 to 3 ft., 75c ea.; 2 for \$1.40.

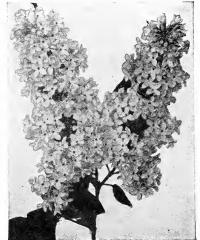
**TREE HYDRANGEA**—Flowers similar to the Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora, only they are grafted to form a tree. 3 to 4 feet \$1.50; 2 for \$2.75.

**FANTCULATA GRANDI-FLORA**—This is the best known form of the hydrangea A hardy, ornamental shrub to 15 feet with dense, globose head. The large, white flowers appear in August and September. The sterile flowers changing later to purplish. 18 to 24 inches, 50c each; 2 to 3 feet, 75c each; 2 for \$1.40.

SUMAC RHUS

**CUT LEAF** (Typhina) var. Laciniata)—This variety with its deeply and finely cut leaves is very handsome, not quite so hardy as some of the other forms and not so tall growing. 2 to 3 feet, 60c each.

**STAGHORN** (Typhina) — This variety grows in the driest soils and is a very desirable plant on account of its bril liant fall coloring which in dry locations, begins to show in August. The crimson fruits remain on all winter. 2 to 3 feet, 60c each; 3 for \$1.70.



Lilac, Common Purple



Hydrangea Panicula.a Grandiflora

cula.a Grandiflora **MME**. M<sup>o</sup>**BIE** LEMOINE—The finest double white Lilac yet introduced. The individual flowers, which resemble miniature Tuberoses, as well as the truss, are of immense size, deliciously scented; fine for cutting, \$1.00 each.

**PRESIDENT GREVY**—Magnificent panicles of large double blue flowers. \$1.00 each.

### SPINDLE TREE

**BURNING BUSH** (Corky Bark), (Alatus)—An attractive, ornamental shrub to eight feet. The flowers appear in May and June. In autumn the foliage changes to a fine rose color. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each.

**EUROPEA**—A large shrub to fifteen feet. Covered in the spring with bright yellow leaves, color a beautiful crimson scarlet in fall; stems almost a dark green. 4 to 5 feet, 75c each; 2 for \$1.40.

STRAWBERRY BUSH (Americana)—An ornamental, upright shrub to eight feet. The flowers appear in June, are yellowish or reddiin green, followed by pink fruits which are very attractive. 4 to 5 feet, 75c each; 2 for \$1.40.

### RHODOTYPHUS

**KERRIODES**—Sometimes called t<sup>b</sup>e White Kerria. A very ornamental, deciduous, much-branched shrub, usually from three to seven feet, handsome and distinct, and is hardy as far north as Massachusetts. Has bright green foliage. Made very conspicuous by its white flowers in May or June and black fruits in the fall. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

### SWEET PEPPER BUSH

ALNIFOLIA—A native shrub, to four feet, bearing profusely spikes of yellowish-white scented flowers in August. 18 to 24 in., 40c each; 3 for \$1.40.



Tamarix

### LILAC

SYRINGA OR LILAC, COMMON PURFLE (Syringa Vulgaris).—The old favorite, and one of the best. 60c each.

**COMMON WHITE** (S. Vulgaris alba).—Flowers white, fragrant, beautiful. 60c each.

**CHARLES X**—A strong, rapid growing variety, with large, shining leaves. Trusses rather loose; large, reddish purple. \$1.00 each.

**JAPONICA**—An elegant Japane: e species, eventually forming a good sized tree, flowers creamywhite in great panicles a month later than other sorts \$1.00 each.

**JOSIKAFA** (Hungarian Lilac)—A distinct species of stout erect growth with dark shining leaves and purple flowers which are produced late in June. \$1.00 each.

### BULBS

## HARDY SHRUBS-CONTINUED

### LIGUSTRUM REGELIANUM

**REGELS PRIVET**—A low, dense shrub with horizontal spreading branches. The leaves are ob-long and a beautiful glossy green. In the fall of the year they are covered with attractive berries. Very useful as a low shrub in foundation plantings. Price, 12 to 18 inches, 25c each; 18 to 24 inches, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

### SILVER THORN ELEAGNUS

LONGIPES A highly ornamental shrub with handsome foliage and reddish brown branchlets. The flowers are one-half inch long appearing on the lower part of the branches; yellowish white, fra-grant. Scarlet fruit ripens in June or July. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

**SMOKE TREE** RHUS COTINUS

**FURPLE FRINGE**—A bush 10 feet high with simple obvate leaves and brown bark; flowers pur-ple in loose panicles and on long pedicles, which become profusely plumose, giving the plant a smoky appearance from it derives its common name. Early summer. There is nothing quite like it and should be planted on every lawn. Price, 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each.



BUTTERFLY BUSH BUDDLEIA SUMMER LILAC (Varibilis Magnifica)-This shrub of compara-tive recent introduction has grown into favor al most immediately. It is a semi-herbaceous plant. by which we mean in some latitudes it will die down to the ground . and while perfectly har dy, we recommend cov ering the roots with manure, leaves or other material as winter ap proaches, as it will help to produce a heavy growth the next season. It is very hardy; blooms the first season, usually from June until frost; the blossoms are borne on long, graceful stems, which terminate in tapering panicles of lilac-colored flowers that are of miniature size, the flower head is frequently ten inches long. 35c each; 3 for 90c.



Smoke Tree

### VIRGINIA WILLOW

#### ITEA

**VIRGINICA**—In nature it inhabits low, wet places, but in cultivation will adapt itself to almost any soil. It is not perfectly hardy north, but grows rapidly and endures both sun and shade. Used in the ornamental border, flow-ers are fragrant and white. 18 to 24 inches, 40c each; 2 for 2110 3 for \$1.10.

### WEIGELAS DIERVILLA

**ROSEA**—A choice vigorous sort, which yields an immense crop of deep pink trumpet-like flowers in June, and bears a scattering of blossoms through the rest of the season. 18 to 24 in., 30c each; 2 to 3 ft., 50c each; 3 for \$1.40. **HYBRID CANDIDA**—Very desirable plant for the shrubbery border, with pure white flowers. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

NANA VARIEGATA-Leaves of this sort are variegated with white; flowers are nearly white. Dwarf. 18 to 24 inch, 35c each; 2 to 3 ft., 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

EVA RATHKE-The flowers are a deep carmine red, erect growing A most profuse bloomer in spring and again in autumn. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each; 18 to 24 inch, 50c each.

### WITCH HAZEL HAMEMELIS

**VIRGINIANA**—Hardy ornamental shrub or small tree with deciduous alternate leaves. Petals of flowers are bright yellow, appearing from September to November. Thrives best in moist locations. Valuable on account of blooming at a time when hardly any other shrub out-doors is in flower. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.



Foundation plantings make a house so much more homelike.

### HARDY FERNS

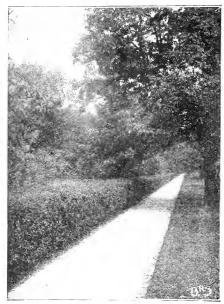
The most beautiful and natur-The most beautiful and natur-al effects can be produced by planting of hardy ferns. They should be planted to be protect-ed from the prevailing winds. They are perfectly hardy and can' stand planting either in shady or sunny positions. The hardy ferns are most sat-isfactory for planting on shady banks and around porches, where the sun does not reach. They are valuable in that they do well in any good well drained soil and require practically no

soil and require practically no care. No home should be with-out them. We can furnish either of the following varieties.

Price: 30 cents each; \$3.00 for 12.

OSTRICH FERN-The large leaf, tall growing variety. **ROYAL FERN**—One of the large growing varieties. CINNAMON FERN-Medium grower in height.

# FINE HEDGE PLANTS



A hedge of hardy Amoor River Privet (See page 17)

### HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA

This variety of Hydrangea makes one of the most beautiful hedges imaginable. For anyone wanting a flowering hedge that will not require trimming, we recommend this plant very highly. Hardy, with glossy green leaves, will grow almost anywhere and make a very desirable hedge. Plant 12 inches apart in single row. Price, strong 2-year plants, Hedge Size, 50 for \$13.50; 100 for \$25.00.

### **NORWAY SPRUCE**

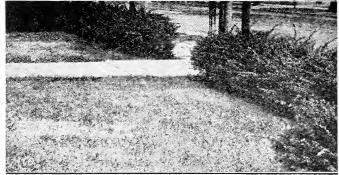
This spruce is a rapid grower and is often ed as a hedge fence. It can be planted used as used as a longe lenge in groups on the lawn, but far enough apart to give each tree an oppor-tunity to expand itself in its beauty. For hedge purposes plant 15 inches apart.

BE SURE . то TRY OUR VEGE-TABLE AND FLOWER SEEDS THIS SPRING

Price, thrifty trees, 18 to 24 inches, each \$1.50 10 for \$13.50; 100 for \$115.00; 2 to 3 feet, each \$1.75; 10 for \$15.00; 100 for \$125.00.

### AMERICAN ARBOR VITAE

THUJA OCCIDENTALIS—One of the most popular evergreens because of its easiness to transplant, grow-ing kindly under adverse conditions and as a sprimen or hedge plant it is very attractive. It is inclined to be conical in habit of growth, not as green in color dur-ing the winter as some but one of the most popular because of its many good qualities.—Price, 18 to 24 inch trees, \$1.50 each; 10 for \$13.50; 100 for \$115.00.



A Hedge of Barberry Untrimmed

### JAPANESE BARBERRY THE BEST HEDGE PLANT

**NOTE**—This is not the Common Barberry and can be pla where without danger of being destroyed by the government. and can be planted any.

**BEBBERIS THUNBERGI**—We consider the Japanese Barberry the best hedge plant in existence. It is beautiful throughout the year; its abundant crop of bright red berries makes it even more attractive in the winter than the summer. Its compact growth, and thorny branches make a defense hedge that will turn cattle after five years' growth. As an untrimmed hedge it requires no attention except an occasional cutting of a few straggling branches. The natural growth is so dense and even that it forms a perfect hedge without shearings, but if a formal hedge is desired, it can be made so by shearing; hardy, of easy culture, and will grow in any soil or situation. For a hedge, plant in single row, 15 inches anart. 15 inches apart.

15 inches apart. During the growing season, the foliage of the plants is attractive, because the new growth, light green in color, is in sharp contrast to the foliage of the old wood, which is a glossy, dark rich green. In the fall, the foliage turns to bright orange and scarlet, and persists until Novem-ber or December, according to the locality. The Japanese Barberry is hardy almost anywhere in this country; and it will thrive in almost any situation, even in partial shade. Poor soil is no barrier to its successful cultivation. Price, 12 to 18 inch plants, 15c each; 50 for \$7.00; 100 for \$12.50.

### SPIREA OR BRIDAL WREATH

Eminently suitable for forming fine hedges. A more graceful object than a Spirea hedge in full bloom is difficult to find. A splendid hedge is shown on page 54. 12 to 18 in., dozen, \$2.00; 100, \$15.00; 18 to 24 in., dozen, \$3.00; 100, \$20.00.



A fine low hedge of Japanese Barberry

### BULBS

### TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO

# MORE GOOD HEDGE PLANTS

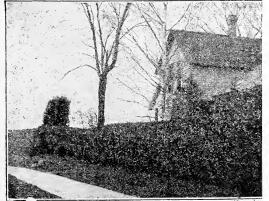
Do you want to enclose your home grounds with a fence that will add beauty and attractiveness to the surroundings, and will never rot down nor rust out; but will become more beautiful and substantial each year?

Many plants or shrubs may be used with happy results and pleasing effects in making a hedge fence; but the great demand for California Privet proves it to be the most popular and satisfactory of all hedges.

One hundred plants set eight inches apart, the proper distance for planting, will make a fence 66 feet long. Using our 18 to 24 inch size would cost only \$6.56. This is much less than any other fence would cost.

In addition to costing less than any other fence you could buy, it is superior to any fence you could build. If they are given fairly good soil they will grow dense and compact right down to the ground. It is free from insects or injurious diseases of any kinds and may be pruned to any desired form or shape. Our plants are extra fine this year, are well branched, especially for hedge purposes and the price is very low. We will guarantee the qual-

ity of our plants to be equal to the best that can be purchased anywhere.



Norway Spruce Hedge (See page 16)



California Privet Hedge

### **IBOLIUM PRIVET**

SEEDS

**THE NEW PRIVET**—For severe climates Ibolium privet is the coming hedge plant. For Northern New York, Michigan, Wisconsin, Northern Illinois and Iowa, Nebraska and Southern South Dakota and Minnesota this will be the hedge plant of the future. It is as hardy as the hardiest privet and has all the characteristics of the famous California privet. This is a new introduction that we have tried out for several

new introduction that we have tried out for several years and found to be all and more than is claimed for it. We have only a limited supply, which we hope, however, will supply the demand this year. Price, 12 to 18 inch plants, \$15.00 per 100; Extra heavy, 2 to 3 feet, \$25.00 per 100.

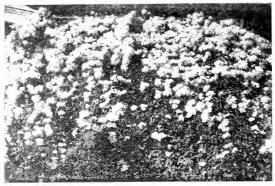
### AMOOR RIVER PRIVET

Hardiest of all hedge plants. Beautiful upright growth and makes a very compact beautiful hedge. Sheds its foliage a little earlier than California Privet. 18 to 24 inches, \$10.00 per 100; 2 to 3 feet, \$12.50 per 100.

### ALTHEA

**ROSE OF SHARON**—These free flowerng shrubs make wonderful hedges and once known will be planted more often. They can be kept trimmed quite low, or can be allowed to grow tall as a screen. A hedge of them in bloom, with all colors of flowers is a wonderful sight. Price, 18 to 24 inch plants, 25 for \$3.00; \$10.00 per 100.

### SPRING HILL NURSERIES



TREES

Clematis Paniculata

American Ivv



Hall's Japan Evergreen Honeysuckle

# VINES

### AMPELOPSIS QUINQUIFOLIA (AMERICAN IVY)

Use them for covering unsightly buildings, stumps, walls, fences, trees, etc. Grow quickly and easily, make a dense mat of leaves which hang in clusters of three. (See illus-tration.) We are quoting these at a special price as fol-lows. Two-year-old plants, 40c each; 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$7.50; 100 for \$20.00.

**BOSTON IVY** (Veitchi)—This vine undoubtedly stands higher in the estimation of the people than any other. Once it is established it grows rapidly and will stay indefinitely, needing only an occasional trimming to keep it within bounds. It is not attacked by disease or insects and the foliage is not injured by the smoke and dirt of cities. The glossy leaves turn to a brilliant orange-scarlet in the fall. 2 year old, 50c each; 3 for \$1.45.

#### MADERIA VINE

(Baselloides). A beautiful rapid-growing vine with dense foliage. The small white flowers are borne in great profusion and are very fragrant. It is excellent for summer screens and shade for porches. Succeeds best in a sunny position. 5 for 25c; 10 for 40c.

### FALSE BITTER SWEET

(Scandens), (Celastrus). Hardy ornamental vine. Very effective by their bright-colored fruit remaining usually throughout the winter. They are valuable for covering trellis-work, trees or rocks and walls. They grow in al-most any soil and situation. Fruit is about one-half inch in diameter, orange-yellow, with crimson seed. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00.

### **DUTCHMAN'S PIPE**

(Aristolochia Sipho). A very vigorous growing vine with large deep green leaves and green twigs, producing in abundance a purplish blossom much resembling a pipe. Grows very dense. Price, 2 year old plants, 75c each; 2 for \$1.35.

### CLEMATIS

PANICULATA-This Clematis is by far the most popular of all the spe-**PANICULATA**—This Clematis is by far the most popular of all the spe-cies in the American gardens. It is extremely showy when covered with the small white fragrant flowers, which appear late in the season. Beautiful, shiny, green foliage. Price: 2 year-old No. 1 plants, 50c each; 8 for \$1.30. **JACKMANII**—One of the best known of all the clematises. The velvety-purple flowers, when expanded, are four to six inches across, very velvety and distinctively veined. 2 year, \$1.00 each. **MAD. ED. ANDRE**—This is the nearest approach to a bright red Clematis. It is a very free bloomer and very satisfactory. 2 year old \$1.00 each.

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### HONEYSUCKLE LONICEBA

JAPONICA, VAR. HALLIANA (Hall's Japan Evergreen Honeysnekle)-

Honeysuckles are well adapted for the covering of walks, arbors, etc., are very ornamental as the leaves remain on during the winter. The

flowers are white, turning to yellow and are very fragrant. 30c each; 6 for \$1.50.

### KUDZU VINE

PUERARIA-A hardy vine with large, tuberous starchy roots, making a most remarkable, vigorous growth of slender, hairy stems. Leaves are variously lobed, vines will grow to 60 feet in a season, producing a profusion of large leaves. SOc each.

#### WISTARIA

CHINESE WISTARIA (Chinensis)-This is one of the best and commonest of hardy climbers. Has pale green pinnate leaves and bears profusely dense, drooping clusters of purplish, pea-shaped flowers. Blooms in May. 3 year old, large, 75c each.

### **EVERGREEN VINES**

ENGLISH IVY-A hardy evergreen climbing vine with dark green leaves. It is a true evergreen and retains its bright, green leaves all winter. Price: 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

EUONYMUS RADICANS-A hardy evergreen vine, or will form a spreading shrub where it can not climb. Valuable for covering graves, especially desirable for shady locations. Price: 3 year old plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.



Chinese Wistaria

SEEDS

# CLIMBING ROSES TWO-YEAR-OLD FIELD GROWN, 50c EACH: \$4.50 FOR 10



### **CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY**

This new climbing form of the famous pink rose, so long the American favorite for cutting, is as lovely and fragrant and deeply pink as the bush form. The hardy climbing blood with which it is crossed makes it quite healthy, perfect foliage and strong climbing habit of growth; the abundant bloom being in prime before the June show of the bush type.

### DOROTHY PERKINS PINK

Flowers rich rose-pink, small double, very sweet, produced in large clusters. Growth very vigorous, climbing, late flowering; bright clusters, clean foliage, one of the best climbing roses for all purposes.

### CRIMSON RAMBLER

(Turner, 1894). No introduction of later years has so permanently be-come so popular as this superb variety. It is a prodigious bloomer, an extremely vigorous climber, and the lovely little double crimson flowers, borne in enormous clusters, render it indispensable in the smallest collection.

### **AMERICAN PILLAR**

One of the most gorgeous climbers, Dorothy Perkins with glossy, mildew-proof foliage and of extremely strong growth. Particularly desirable for covering summer-houses and arbors, while its wealth of bloom is truly wonderful. When in bloom it is almost covered with immense clusters of single blossoms, three inches across, that are a lovely apple-blossom pink, with bright golden stamens.

**DR. VAN FLEET** Flowers flesh-pink on the outer surface deepening to rosyflesh in the center, large, full and double, of delicate perfume. Growth vigorous, climbing and free.

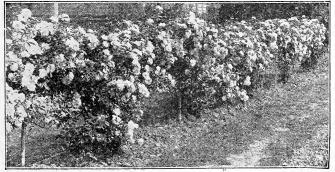
### SILVER MOON

White. Beautiful foliage, one of the very finest.

**PAULS SCARLET** For brilliancy of color this variety outclasses every other climbing variety in the red shades. A gleaming vivid scarlet color which does not fade, but remains bright till the flowers fall. Medium, semi-double flowers perfect in bud form, and in clusters of from 3 to 15. Awarded gold medals by the Na-tional Rose Society of England. Price of this variety, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

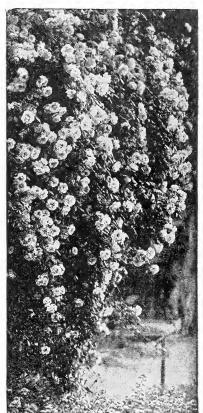
### A New Bush Rose from China

Rosa Hugonis-Like many other rare floral gems from the Orient, this variety is spectacular in its exotic beauty.



Silver Moon Roses Used As a Hedge

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#### American Pillar

Imagine a many branched shrub, 6 to 8 feet tall, rearing slender sprays in all directions, gracefully arching be-neath loads of bright yellow, single flowers, an inch and a half in diameter -and you have Rosa Hugonis at its best.

The flowers are borne on the previous season's growth and appear very early in the spring, before the foliage. Later in the season it throws up many new branches (next season's flowering wood) and these branches are of a beautiful deep red color, which makes the shrub a garden attraction almost through out the growing season. Strong field-grown plants, each, \$1.50; dozen. \$15.00.

### TREES

### SPRING HILL NURSERIES

### PLANTS

# **ROSES--QUEEN OF FLOWERS**

Roses are the most popular flowering plants grown. They may be properly and effectively used for a great many purposes. Everyone should plant roses. There is no home, worthy of the name, where space could not be found for from ten to fifty rose bushes and there is no improvement that can be made at so small expense that will so quickly enhance the beauty, desirability and value of the property as a good rose planting.

Never was there such a wealth of roses for the amateur to choose

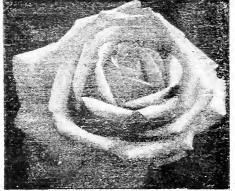
from as now. They are being bred for the beauty of the plant form as well as for the beauty of the flower. They are also bred for health, hardiness, freedom and continuity of bloom. As a result there are same wonderfully beautiful productions, both as to form and color, the latter ranging from pure white through all the shades of pink, red and yellow.

### HARDY HYBRID PER-PETUAL ROSES Hardy in Cold Climates ANNA DE DIESBACH

GLORY OF PARIS-Most lovely brilliant carmine; long pointed buds, and large, finely formed compact flowers; very full and double and delightfully sweet. A vigorous grower and a fine bloomer. Price, twoyear-old, field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

### FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI

The regal "White American Beauty." The bloom of this rose is perfect in form, on fine long stems, of the purest possible white. There is nothing in the line of perfectly hardy roses that can compare with this one in form, color and general appearance. In rose gardens they commence blooming in June; are conspicuous throughout the summer with profusely furnished. their large flowers of waxy paper white, and yield their last



Paul Neyron



B. Clark



Mrs. John Laing been very popular, and is generally accepted as the best of the light pinks. It is exceedingly fragrant. Price, twoyear-old, field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

### MAGNA CHARTA

A general favorite, prized on account of its strong, upright growth and bright, healthy foliage, as well as for its magnificent bloom. The color is beautifully bright pink, suffused with carmine. A profuse bloomer and very hardy. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

### PAUL NEYRON

One of the finest hardy roses ever grown. It blooms unceasingly from June till frost, on thornless stems, with immense cup-shaped flowers, the largest of any rose grown; color a bright shining pink, clear and beautiful. Added to other qualities it is one of the hardiest; will do well in even Alaska. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each: \$7.00 for 10.



Anna De Diesbach

blossoms in Autumn. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75 cents each; \$7 for 10.

### GENERAL JACK

Bright, shining crimson, rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds and flowers, and is highly esteemed as one of the most desirable roses for open ground work, also for forcing. Price, two-year-old, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

### J. B. CLARK

This splendid rose is unique in color among roses, being deep scarlet shaded blackish crimson with rich bloom like a plum. It is robust in growth, with clean, heavy foliage. Flowers are large and superbly constructed, perfectly hardy. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

### MRS. JOHN LAING

A favorite sort, with satiny flowers of soft. clear pink, remarkably

### **TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO**





Columbia

### ULRICH BRUNNER

Splendid upright grower, with bright healthy foliage. Flowers are good sized and of fine form with well-shaped petals. One of the most abundant bloomers; color, cherry-red. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

### **GRUSS AN TEPLITZ**

For intense and dazzling color there is no rose to compare with this splendid kind. The flowers are large and hondsome, moderately double, of splendid substance, and produces an amazing profusion of flowers



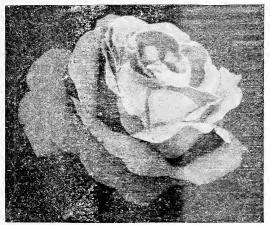
Ophelia

Columbia during the whole growing season. The Ophelia color is fiery crimson, shaded with a dark velvet sheen. A combination found in no other rose. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

# EVER-BLOOMING TEA ROSES MONTHLY ROSES

### TWO YEAR OLD PLANTS, 65 CENTS EACH, \$5.50 FOR 10 EXCEPT WHERE NOTED.

COLUMBIA-A beautiful, true pink, deepening as it matures to a warm, glowing tone, which is enduring. Its usual double petalage and substance makes it a good summer rose, while the great size, color, and long (almost thornless) stems mark it as a superior cutting variety. ETOILE DE FRANCE-Velvety garnet-red cup, with center of vivid, cerise. Flowers very large



Red Radiance

**RED RADIANCE**—The same characteristics as the above, but the color is clear cerise red and does not fade.

KILLARNEY PINK-Intensely fragrant flow-ers, of exquisite pink coloring. You can rely on this rose for almost continuous bloom. Ideal for cutting.

KILLARNEY WHITE-A sport of the above and one of the very best white roses grown.

### NEW ROSE, **CLAUDIUS PERNET**

The only perfectly hardy, everblooming yellow Tea rose. A new, perfectly hardy yellow rose of great merit. It is of European origin, and perfectly adapted to our climate, which has proven unfavorable for some varieties of European origin. This new rose has been awarded three gold medals in Europe and has received the most favorable comment in this country.

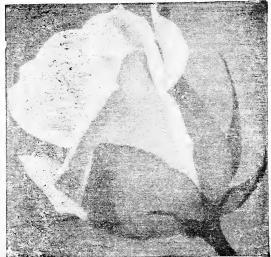
It has very large flowers of sunflower yellow with deeper shading in the center. The buds are long and pointed and produced in great abundance. The orig-inal plants of this variety bloomed continuously for two years under glass. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

and full, with marked imbrications, as beautiful in the bud as in the full-grown flowers, and borne on strong upright shoots in the greatest profusion. Its fragrant, good dark foliage and its strong and vigorous growth especially recommend it as a garden rose.

LOS ANGELES-One of the most notable varieties ever produced. The coloring is of unusual beauty, being a luminous flame pink shaded with translucent gold at the base of the petals. A very vigorous grower and exquisite for cutting. \$1.00 each; 5 for \$4.00.

**OPHELIA**—A wonderful outdoor variety, with salmon-flesh colored flowers which are perfectly formed and last a long time when cut. The color varies with the seasons and at times a soft yellow appears at the base of the petals.

**PINK RADIANCE**—A brilliant rosy carmine with lovely opal tints in the open flower. A wonderful bedder, as it continues to bloom during July and August when many other varieties fail to bloom.



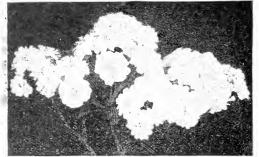
Los Angeles

### TREES

### SPRING HILL NURSERIES

### PLANTS

# HARDY PERENNIALS Old-Fashioned Flowers



Achillea Ptarmica

**PTARMICA** (The Pearl)—White flowers larger than above variety. Summer. Slightly more dwarf. Fifteen inches. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### JAPANESE BELL FLOWER

**PLATYCODEN**—A valuable perennial forming a dense branching bush of upright habit. One to two feet with neat foliage. It blooms from July until frost. Large bell shaped, deep blue flowers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

#### ANEMONE WINDFLOWER

**WHIRLWIND**—One of the most gorgeous of the hardy perennials, as well as one of the most desirable and useful. Bears large, snowy white flowers supported by large dark green leafy branches. Fall. 20 cents each; \$2.00 per doz.

### BUTTERFLY WEED

ASCLEPIAS TUBEROSA-Beautiful bright orange flowers 1 to 2 feet high. Very hardy blooms. July and August. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### CHAMMOMILE

Well known perennials, esteemed for their lavish bloom and exceedingly decorative value in late fall. Yellow. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### PERENNIAL FLAX

LINUM PERENNE A very desirable plant for the border: grows about 2 feet high, and filled with flowers all summer We can furnish you either White or Blue. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

MUST

EVERY CUSTOMER



Anemone Whirlwind

### **IBERIS OR CANDYTUFT**

BE SATISFIED IBERIS SEMPERVIRENS—A choice variety with snowy white flowers for cutting. 25c each; \$2.50 per

### LILY OF THE VALLEY

Very small and sweet and dainty, the creamy white escalloped bells pendant along slender stems. They make up (with their broad shiny leaves) into dainty bouquets of fragrance. They spread actively from the roots and soon reclaim shaded cold ground which otherwise would be cheerless and barren. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### **DIANTHUS PLUMARIS**

CHINA PINK Very hardy single and double pink with flowers of many beautiful colors. 15c each;

#### **OENOTHERA** EVENING PRIMROSE

**FRUTICOSA YOUNGII**—Prized for its stocky growth and continuous bloom of bright lemon-yel-low flewers on bold heads. Two feet. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Hardy perennials, or as they are often called, "Old Fashion-ed Flowers" should be planted in every garden.

They add grace to the hardy border and furnish cut flowers all through the Summer. The varieties listed are all perfectly hardy, and do not have to be replaced each year as is the case with annuals.

### ACHILLEA

MILLEFOLIUM CERISE ROSEUM-Beautiful cut-leaved foliage. Flowers deep rose col-ored and good for cutting. Eight-een inches. April to October. 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

It blooms all



### Jap. Iris

strain, producing distinct strains of Purple, Blue, Red and Yellow Flowers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen. CHEYSANTHA (Yellow-Flowered Columbine)—Flowers are primose yellow, long spurs. Three to four feet. April to September. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### JAPANESE IRIS

JAPARLOL IKID Of all Iris, the Japanese has, without question the most wonderful bloom. The flowers are borne on long graceful stems, and for foliage effect, or cut flowers this species is far superior to the common kinds. We are offering only two varieties which are noted for their free blooming habit. **PURPLE GOLD BANDED**—A beautiful deep shade of purple with a gold band across the petals. An attraction to any garden. Price, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen. **BLUE**—A bright blue flower, which holds its color and remains fresh a long time after it is cut. Price, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

\$2.50 per dozen.



Mourning Bride (See page 25)



Japanese Bell Flower



Asters, St. Egwin

ASTER

ST. EGWIN-Dense and bushy and blooms from the ground up to the top of the plant. Delicate pink color. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

STOKES ASTERS (Stokesia)—12 to 18 in-ches high. Flowers large blue and quite showy. blue and quite showy. Blooms from August till late frost. 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

### COLUMBINE AQUILEGIA ENGLISH LÖNG SPUR-A fine

### BULBS

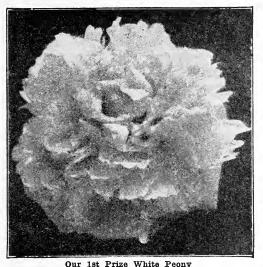
early Spring.

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### **TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO**

SEEDS

## PERENNIALS—CONTINUED



**BEAUTIFUL PEONIES** 

COREOPSIS

### DAISY SHASTA

**ALASKA**—A splendid form of the Shasta Daisy. The whole plant is gigantic, but compact and graceful; flowcompact and gracerul; flow-ers white, four and five in-ches across. Very free flowering; small yellow discs. Good for cut flow-ers. 15c each; \$1.50 per degrae dozen.

### CHRYSANTHE. MUM

HARDY VARIETIES

Well known perennial, Shasta Daisy esteemed for their lavish bloom and exceeding decorative value in late fall. Red, White, Pink, Yellow. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### PACHYSANDRA

A trailing plant 6 to 8 inches high, forming broad mats of bright glossy green foliage and small spikes of light colored flowers during May and June. A very good ground cover which will grow in all shady locations, and the only plant that will thrive under Pine trees. Exceptionally valuable for edging Ev-ergreen plants as the foliage is prac-tically evergreen. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hun-dred

dred.



The pretty, fern-like foliage in the Spring, followed by a profusion of handsome blooms in summer, of handsome blooms in summer, makes the plant very desirable. Un-equaled as cut flowers. Hardy under any conditions. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**ROSEUM**—A beautiful rose-pink daisy-like perennial about two feet. **ULIGNOSUM**—A perennial with white flowers, yellow center in clusters. 4 feet. September.

We Have Some Mighty Fine Varieties of Dahlias this Year. See Back Pages.



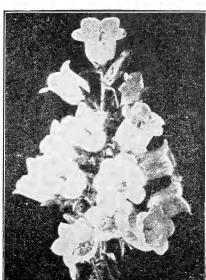
#### Coreopsis

each: Car-

(Campanula patica)-A pretty,

STONECROP-A very pretty erect growing perennial attaining a height of 18 inches. It has broad light green foliage with immense heads of handsome showy handsome showy rose colored flow-ers. Indispensable as a fall blooming plant. Price, 15c each: \$150 -\$1.50 per dozen.

IT PAYS TO PLACE YOUR ORDER EARLY



Canterbury Bells

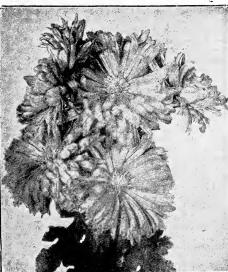


LANCEOLATA --- Valuable border plant, because of their profusion of showy yellow flowers. Much prized for cutting. Flowers golden yellow, hardy and of the easiest culture. One to two feet. June to September. CANTERBURY BELLS

Large open bell-shaped flowers in a variety of colors. 15c eac \$1.50 per dozen.

HAREBELL compact species; flowers 1 inch in diameter. Blue and white. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

SEDUM



Chrysanthemums

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### TREES

### SPRING HILL NURSERIES

## PERENNIALS—CONTINUED



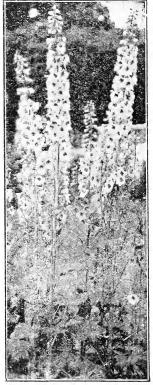
#### Gaillardia Grandiflora

### FOX GLOVE

DIGITALIS GLOXINAEFLO **RA**—A stately picturesque plant with spikes of bloom 3 to 4 inches in height. Color ranges from rose to deep purple. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### TRITOMA

RED HOT POKER-The early free and continuous blooming qualities of this flower make it plants. It blooms in August and September. Large spikes of flowers are a rich orange color and they succeed in any rich garden soil. Price, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.



Delphinium Belladonna

### GAILLARDIA BLANKET FLOWER

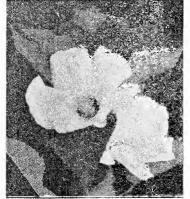
**GRANDIFLORA**—Probably one of the most universal flowers planted among the hardy perennials. Conspicuous for their profusion of bloom. Flowers intense, blood-crimson, margined with golden yellow. Eighteen to twenty-four inches. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### HARDY HIBISCUS

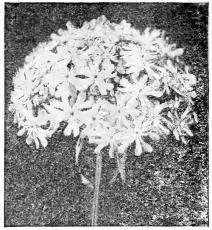
Tall growing, especially adapted to backgrounds and shrubbery borders. Of easiest culture, and bloom the entire season. Plants grow 4 to 5 feet tall. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

MALLOW MARVEL-A beautiful deep red color. Very effective. WHITE CRIMSON EYE-This is

probably the best known and the most planted of the Hibiscus.



Hardy Hibiscus



Lychnis Chalcedonica (See page 25)

### LUPINUS OR LUPINS

The Lupinus produce beautiful long spikes of pear-shaped flowers a foot long on stems 3 feet high. They are perfectly hardy and very showy. We can supply them in the fol-lowing colors: White, Blue, Rose, Mixed. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### GYPSOPHILA BABY'S BREATH

Very branching or spreading slender shrubs, of very easy culture, and very desirable where a mass delicate misty wh of delicate misty white bloom will fill a bare place. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Delphinium Formosum



MISS MELLISH-An improved variety of Helianthus, profuse bloomer and supplies an enormous quantity of cut-flowers. Yel-low. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### DELPHINIUM OR LARKSPUR

Another old-time favorite of the easiest culture. Hardy, and prefers sunny, well-drained position. Spikes are superb for cut-ting. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

BELLADONNA-A sky-blue variety. June to October. **FORMOSUM**—The old favorite dark blue with white center; 3 to 4 feet high. Very vigorous, free-flowering and one of the best.

HYBRID MIXED—These plants were grown from seed collected from main sorts, and will show some

surprising new colors. CHINESE (Chinese Larkspur)-A very pretty variety with fine feathery foliage and intense blue

### YELLOW DAY LILY HEMEROCALLIS

flowers.

Popular hardy plants; belong to the Lily family. They succeed everywhere and should always be in-cluded in the border of old-fashioned hardy plants. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

THUNBERGII-The latest to flower; rich butter-cup-yellow, funnel-shaped flowers throughout July. 4 feet.

**OSWEGO TEA MONARDA DIDYMA**—A bushy plant growing about 2 feet high, covered with round heads of deep red flowers. Its petals are similar to the Cactus Dahlias; also known as Bergamot and Mint on ac-count of the delicious fragrance of their leaves when crushed, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Helianthus

### BULBS

### **TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO**

SEEDS

## PERENNIALS—CONTINUED



### POPPIES

**ORIENTAL** (Assorted)-These are the regal representatives of this popular genus, growing 3 to 3½ feet high, and far surpass-ing in splendor of bloom all the annual and biennial kinds. Flowers in May and June. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

ICELAND (Assorted) -The **ICELAND** (Assorted) — The plant is of neat habit, forming a tuft of bright green, fern-like foliage from which spring, throughout the entire season, a profusion of slender leafless stems 1 foot high, each graced with charming cup-shaped flowers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Oriental** Poppies

### LOBELIA

CARDINAL FLOWER-Rich fiery red flowers; strong plants often producing 10 to 18 spikes in August and September. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### **IOURNING BRIDE**

SCABIOSA JAPONICA—Handsome border plants and should be planted in every garden. Lavender-blue flowers from July to September that last a long time when cut and put in water. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### HARDY SWEET PEAS

This beautiful perennial blooms continuously all summer long. The flowers are larger than the tender Sweet Peas and will contiue to bloom even in hot dry weather. Ours are a mixture of white, pink and red that will produce bouquets for you every year. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### RUDBECKIA

The perennial form of the Black-Eyed Susan. One of the most popular hardy plants. Deep or-ange yellow flowers and long wiry stems. Fine cut flowers. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### PHLOX

No class of hardy plants is more desirable than the Perennial Phlox-es. They will thrive in es. They will thrive in any position and can be used to advantage in any kind of border planting, in large groups on the lawn. All the hardy phlox-es are admirably adapted for cutting.

BRIDESMAID--White, crimson eye. Price 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

flowers in June, September



Hardy Sweet Peas

MISS LINGARD-The best phlox in cultivation. Immense heads of pure white and October. Price, \$1.50 per dozen.

RHINELANDER-Beautiful salmon-pink; immense size. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**RYNSTROOM**—Big trusses, rosy-pink flowers. Price, 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

SUBULATA—Moss or Mountain Pink, and an early spring-flowering type with evergreen foliage. Valuable for covering ground or graves. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

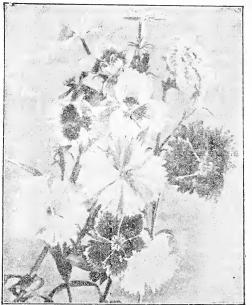
#### DIANTHUS OR SWEET WILLIAM DIANTHUS BARBATUS-The old-fashioned

favorite. A, fine plant, producing great masses of bloom of extremely rich and varied colors. Flowers lasting and fine for cutting. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### HARDY GRASSES

**ERIANTHUS RAVENNA** (Plume or Pampas Grass)—Beautiful plumes 8 to 10 feet tall in the Fall. Fine for winter ornament. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

EULALIA ZEBRINA (Zebra Grass)--The long blades of this variety are marked with broad-yel-low bands across the leaf. Fine for lawns. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



#### Hardy Carnation

### HARDY CARNATION

GARDEN PINKS KING BELL-A very hardy spicy perennial with beautiful flowers. Wonderful cut flowers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

MONT BLANC-Pure white flow-Has long blooming season. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### HOLLYHOCKS

**DOUBLE**—Immense double and semi-double flowers; all shades and colors mixed. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

### LYCHNIS

CHALCEDONICA (Maltese Cross) -Heart-lobed stars of brightest vermilion, arranged in large flat panicles. 2 yr., 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Sweet William



For the past few years we have had a great many inquiries from our customers asking about suitable plants for Cemetery planting.

We feel that we would like to encourage this class of planting as much as possible, because we believe that a suitable shrub or plant will express more sentiment than the costliest of stone. We know that ordinary monuments seem rather cold and uninviting unless they are relieved with the soft colors of nature.

In order to assist those who are interested, we are devoting an entire page to various classes of plants most suitable for Cemetery planting, and want to assure our customers that we will take special interest in orders from this department.



Pussy Willow

### REGALS LILY

One of the most beautiful of all known lilies. It is a new introduction from Northen China, and once it becomes gener-ally known it will be used exclusively as an Easter Lily. It is very hardy and will bloom out doors in June or early July. Mature bulbs produce from 5 to 15 flowers on a includent which rates their foreback

single stem which retain their freshness over quite a long period. Price, 3 year old bulbs, 60c each; 2 for \$1.00; 12 for \$5,50.

### **NEW ROSE CLAUDIUS PERNET**

This rose is a recent introduction and has been awarded 3 medals in Europe. It is the only perfectly hardy ever-blooming yellow rose in existence. The buds are long and pointed and the flowlow with a dark center. Blooms all sum-mer. Price, strong plants, \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

### SPIREA VAN HOUTTEII

Spirea Van Houtteii is especially desirable for cemetery planting. It is very hardy and easily grown, has nice clean foliage all season, and is not attacked by any disease. When in bloom, the white drooping flowers are very attractive, and appropriate for cemeteries. Hardy every-where in United States.

Our Price for extra fine specimen plants, 3 to 4 feet high, 60c each, 3 for \$1.70.

### FLOWERING ALMOND

A very hardy, dwarf shrub, covered with small, double flowers about <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> inch in diameter in the early Spring. It is very attractive and dainty. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

### BIOTA NANA AUREA

This new evergreen is commonly known as the Golden Chinese Arborvitae. It is a beautiful, compact, little evergreen of a dwarf nature. It has a clear yellow col-or in the springtime which gradually gives way to a yellow-green during the winter months. Its size, color, compact habit of and foliage makes it especially growth desirable for Cemetery planting. Price, 18 inch plants, \$4.25 each.

### **EVERGREEN CREEPERS** FOR COVERING GRAVES PACHYSANDRA JAPANESE SPURGE

This is a new evergreen trailing plant 6 to 18 inches high and forms broad mats of bright, shiny, green foliage. A good ground cover which will grow in all shady locations, and the only plant that will thrive under pine trees. Frice, strong field grown plants, 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

### CREEPING PHLOX

This is also called Moss Phlox or Mountain Pink. It has a beautiful ever-green foliage and the plants are literally covered with beautiful bright pink flowers early in the spring. The foliage is very attractive and the plants



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Philadelphus Virginal

will stand a lot of abuse when once es-tablished. They do not get over three inches high and will grow very dense. Price 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, \$10.00 per 100.

### LIVE FOREVER

**SEDUM ACER** This is a creeping plant very adaptable covering graves. It is practically evto covering graves. to covering graves. It is practically ev-ergreen, covered with yellow flowers in mid summer and a beautiful waxy, bead-like foliage. It does not get over four in-ches high, very hardy, and requires no attention after being once established. Plant six inches apart both ways. Price 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, \$10.00 per 100.

### PHILADELPHUS VIRGINAL

One of the most beautiful shrubs of recent introduction. It blooms very free-ly, the extremely white flowers produce on wood of the same year's growth. It grows about  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 feet high, and plants on our own ground last year pro-duced flowers all Summer. Price, 2 to 3 ft. plants, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75.

### EUONYMUS RADICANS

A hardy evergreen vine, or will form a low spreading shrub where it can not climb. Valuable for covering graves, es-pecially desirabe for shady locations. Price, year old plants, 50 cents each; 3 for \$1.35.

#### PUSSY WILLOW (SALIX CAPRAE)

Not the wild pussy willow but a culti-Not the wild pussy while wold & Culti-vated variety that has made a sensation wherever it has been shown. Branches of this variety have been selling at retail during the winter months in cities at from \$1.00 to \$2.00 per dozen. You Can Grow Them on Your Own Lawn. Enjoy these dainty silvery flowers every winter. A beautiful round shrub in summer Wherever you have room for a

summer. Wherever you have room for a Lilac or Snowball, you have room for a Pussy Willow. Use them for tall screens

Pussy Willow. Use them for tall screens or backgrounds. Plant one or more of them this fall. Cut the ends of the branches in Jan-uary or February. Place them indoors in a vase of water. Watch them unfold their large catkins of silvery pink, from 1 to 2 inches long, They will repay you many times their cost in pleasure. PRICES-60c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00. Size of plants 4 to 5 feet.

### ENGLISH IVY

A hardy evergreen climbing vine with dark green leaves. It is a true evergreen and retains its bright, green leaves all winter and much used for Cemetery work. Price, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

### SPRING HILL NURSERIES

# FLOWERING BEGONIAS

This Beautiful Class of Plants is Deservedly Popular. They are Suitable for Pot Culture in the Window for Winter Blooming. We Can Furnish Flowering Begonias from 21/2-in. Pots, 25 Cents Each, \$2.50 per Dozen. EXCEPT WHERE NOTED.



ARGENTEA **GUTTATA** 

This variety is an in-troduction of M. Lem-oine and is a cross be-tween Olbia and Alba Picta. This beautiful sort has the silvery blotches of Alba Picta, the grace and beauty of growth of Olbia. It has purple-bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with sil-very markings, and is in every way a most beau-tiful Begonia. Produces white flowers in bunch-es on ends of growth stems. Good for house culture.

ALBA PICTA-Long, pointed slender leaves, thickly spotted with silver-white. Foliage small and elegant. ALBA PEEFECTA GRANDIFLORA-We doubt if there is a white-flowered variety that equals it. The fo-liage resembles Rubra in shape, but it is lighter green, while the flower panicles are much handsome It is a the flower panicles are much handsomer. It is a white flowering Begonia of much merit. while DULLO

> SNAKE PLANT (Sanseviera Zeylanica.) Beautiful house plant well adapted for decoration of sit-ting rooms, halls, etc., as it stands dust and neglect of watering with impunity. Leav-es grow to a length of from 3 to 4 feet, beautifully striped cross-wise with broad white variegations on a dark green ground. Rare and beautiful plant, should be abundantly grown for positions out of sun-light, where other plants do light, where other plants do not thrive. Plants, 20c each; 3 for 55 cents.



### BEAUTIFUL FUCHSIAS DOUBLE FLOWERING VARIETIES

Price: 15 cents each; Three for 40 Cents.

GLOIDER DES MAECHES—It is nearly perfection as to free growing and habit, being strong and bushy. Tube and sepals deep scarlet; corolla very large and double and pure white.

**THENOMENAL**—The largest Fuchsia we have yet seen. Tube and sepals are bright coral-red, beautifully formed. Corolla nearly two and one-half inches across, is of the very richest violet shade. Habit is remarkably free and it blooms more freely than any other large variety.

### SINGLE FLOWERING VARIETIES

Price: 15 Cents Each; Three for 40 Cents.

**BLACK PEINCE**—This is without question the very finest single Fuchsia grown for the amateur to cultivate. It makes a shapely bush, is robust in growth, free from disease and insects, and is probably the freest in blooming. Blossoms of a beautiful waxy-carmine or pink color. Certainly a plant of easy culture.

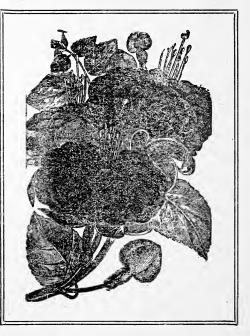
LOED BYRON-A strikingly handsome variety, with calyx of cochineal red, and large, single corolla of deepest violet.



### REX BEGONIAS

The broad leaves, high coloring and exquisite markings of Rex Begonias make them invaluable as decorative plants for house culture. Give them a soil composed of rich loam, woods earth and sharp sand. They require a warm, moist atmosphere and shady situation. Do not al-low the sun to strike the leaves while wet, and do not overwater. They may be planted in a shady situation un-der trees or alongside of the house. Rex varieties make immense leaves. We can furnish Rex Begonias in choice sorts at 25 cents each, 3 for 65 cents.

**BARGAIN OFFER---Z** 4 FUCHSIAS 50c, POSTPAID All Different, Our Selection 7 BRILLIANT COLEUS 50c POSTPAID Good Colors. All Different



PALMS AND OTHER DECORATIVE PLANTS



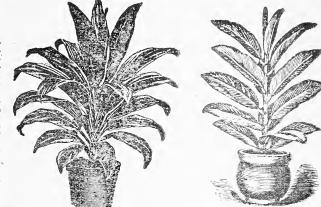
KENTTA PALM.

disposed; as a decorative plant for the window, dinner table or conservatory it scarcely has an equal. Price, medium, 75 cents; larger, \$1.50.

Buy Direct From Us and Save Money.

LOED WOLS-LEY-Superb spe-cies, its lively coloring gives it mark-ed value. Rapid ed value. Rapid grower. Price, 50c each.

KENTIA BEL MOREANA -The Kentias are among the best of the Palm species for general cultivation. This variety is one of the best in its class-graceful hab-it, bright green fo-



**DBACENA INDIVISA**—Of the plants in use for center vases, baskets, or for beds in the open ground, nothing is so yraceful drooping habit it is sometimes called the "Foun-tain Plant." Price, 15 cents each; three for 40 cents; extra large, 35 cents. **DBACENA INDIVISA**—Of Rubber Th leathery is Generally finest hou plant atta tree shape 75c; 18 in high (by large, 35 cents.

ELASTICA (India Rubber Tree)-Very large, smooth leathery leaves, evergreen foliage. Generally esteemed one of the finest house plants grown, the plant attaining a large size and tree shape. Price, 12 inches high, 75c; 18 inches high, \$1.00; 2 feet high (by express only), \$1.25.



Price, 15c each; 6 for 80c; 12 for \$1.50.

CHEYSOLOBA — A very fine yellow. Medium to tall in growth. Foliage heavy. Considered the finest early yellow variety ever introduced.

**UNARA**—A strong grower with long stems and good foliage; a fine incurved bloom from early buds. Color, lavender-pink.

WHITE CHIEFTAIN-We are sure that this will take the position among whites that Bonaffon holds among yellows; it will prove the ideal white. Like its parent, it holds in fine condition for a long time; the blooming period runs over three weeks.

**PACIFIC SUPPERIE**—Color a most beautiful shade of clear pink. A wonderful flower; extra fine for exhibition. A mammoth bloom of purest pink; unexcelled.

### GERANIUMS

### SINGLE VARIETIES

**PRESIDENT BOOSEVELT**—Pure snow-white, retaining its purity the entire season; perfectly formed round flowers, borne in enormous trusses held well above the beautiful foliage.

W. A. CHALFANT-Dazzling scarlet, florets slightly circular and slightly cupped, forming a magnificent truss; one of the best for bedding.

MRS. E. G. HILL-An exquisite shade of soft, light salmon, each petal bordered with rose-salmon; continual bloomer; excellent bedding variety; semi-dwarf grower; will resist the heat of the sun.

### DOUBLE VARIETIES

BEAUTE POINTEVINE — Semi-double. One of the very finest of the Bruant race. The color is a brilliant salmon, shading to apricot in the center; trusses colossal, florets two and one-fourth inches in diameter.

DUCHESS DE MONTMORT-Trusses of enormous size: color brilliant purple, nearest we have to the blue Geranium. Highly recommended.

S. A. NUTT-This is the darkest and richest double Geranium grown. It is very bright, dark, deep, rich vel-vety maroon, an excellent bedder and a perfect pot plant. Price, 21/2 inch Pots, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

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### PLANT A FLOWER BED---SPECIAL COLLECTIONS BELOW

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BRILLIANT COLEUS BED Coleus is the acknow-ledged standard bedding plant. A bed of three feet in diameter requires 37 plants set eight inches apart. Same planting for a bed five feet in diameter requires 91 plants. Price. our selection of varieties, \$2.25 for a three foot bed, and \$5.00 for a five foot bed. Plants offered are from two and one-half inch pots.

### BEAUTIFUL BED OF GERANIUMS.

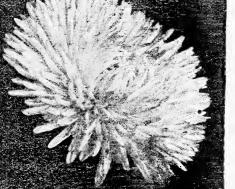
Geraniums are the best known and most extensively used of all bedding plants—should be set 12 inches apart. We offer 15 plants for a three foot bed for \$1.50, or 30 plants for a five foot bed for \$2.75. Must be our selection of varieties, but you may choose colors want-ed. Plants offered are from two and one-half inch pots.

#### SHOWY BED OF SINGLE FLOWERING PETUNIAS

For outdoor decorations there are few plants that excel the Single Petunia. They commence blooming when quite small, and when at their best, display a gorgeous effect of flower and foliage. We offer 20 plants (mixed colors) for a three foot bed for \$1.50, or 40 plants for five foot bed for \$2.75.

### BRILLIANT BED OF SCABLET SALVIA

Salvias grow in bush form 2 to 21/2 feet high. The foliage is dense, forming a mound of vivid green surmounted by blazing red flowers. Salvias should be planted 10 inches apart. We offer nice plants from 21/2 inch pots. 20 plants for a three foot bed, \$1.50; 40 plants for a five foot bed, \$2.75.



Chrysolora Chrysanthemum

### SPRING HILL NURSERIES

### PLANTS

**LANTANAS** OB SHRUBEY VERBENAS, THE FINEST PLANTS THAT GROW The brilliant colors, robust growth and profuse blooming habit of the Lan-tana render it one of the finest bedding plants that grow. The varieties here described give a wide range of color, and include the most distinct and profuse blooming varieties. Price: 15c each; 12 for \$1.50. AURORA—Large flowered dark and light shades pink, yellow center. JACOB SCHULTZ—The best of the deep red varieties. WEEFING LANTANA—Fine for baskets, vases, pots, window boxes. Pro-duces a great abundance of delicate drooping, leafy vines, covered nearly all the time with clusters of lovely lilac flowers with white eyes.

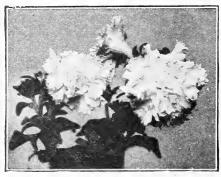
### VARIEGATED VINCA

Beautiful variegated trailing plant, admirably adapted for hanging baskets and cases. Leaves glossy green, broadly margined creamy-white; flowers blue. Small plants, 15c each; 12 for \$1.50; larger, 25c each, 3 for 60c; extra large; for vases, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.



The values, one each, of the price. **MOONFLOWERS** Price: 15 Cents Each, 12 for \$1.50. **IPOMEA GRANDIFLORA**—The true Moonflower. A very rapid summer climber, blooming the first season. No insects attack the leaf. The flowers are immense, pure white, sweet-scented, five inches in diameter, borne very pro-fusely, and, as they open at night, are very striking. Being a free bloomer, the effect on a moonlight night is very charming. Try it. **IPOMEA LEARII**—The Blue Moonflower. Flowers are trumpet shaped, of a rich violet-blue, with five purple rays. **IPOMEA MAXIMA**—Its pure white, abundant blooms average six to eight in-ches across, and often surpass that magnitude. **MAMMOTI** 





## The Verbena is one of the prettiest and most popular of all flowering plants suitable for forming beds on the lawn. Commences to flower and spread from the first day plants are set until late in autumn, every day becoming better and more handsome. Colors range through all the dif-ferent shades of scarlet, purple, blue, white, etc. 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.

ANATNA

### DOUBLE PETUNIAS

The Double Petunia is one of the finest bedding plants for mass-ing, mixed borders, or for vases. The brilliancy and variety of its col-ors, combined with the duration of its blooming period, render it invalu-able for garden decoration. Our collection is unsurpassed for brilliancy of color and size of bloom. Price: 15c each; 12 for \$1.50.

FAVORITE-Rosy-purple, beautifully frilled; edges white.

**VESUVIUS**-Rich deep purple, shaded crimson.

**SNOWBALL**—The finest Petunia grown; color a sea foam white; flower of the largest size and beautifully frilled.

### HANGING BASKET COLLECTION

Six plants for a hanging basket that will make a lovely basket. We expect to make large sales of this collection as it includes choice kinds and represents a big value. The list of varieties are: 1 Dracena Indivisa, 1 Sprengeri Fern, 1 Geranium, 2 Vinca Vines, 1 Lantana

ALL SIX PLANTS FOR 50 CENTS, POSTPAID

### RARE NEW AND CHOICE OLD IMPATIENS

Some of these are entirely new and distinct in color. All are true ever-bloomers, are good bedders and make splendid pot plants for the house. The Impatiens delight in a light, rich soil and thrive best in a partially shaded position. They are a mass of bloom all the time, are splendid bedders and superb pot plants for the house. When grown in pots, care should be taken to avoid overwatering.

Price: 15c each; any two for 25c; \$1.50 per dozen.

Price: 15c each; any two for 25c; \$1.50 per contain. **CARMITEA**—Bright carmine. **SULTANA IMPROVED**—Certainly the freest-blooming bedding or house plant in cultivation. The plant is literally covered with brilliant, rosy-scarlet flowers. For summer bedding or winter blooming in the house it has no equal. **PINE BEAUTY**—Handsome shade of pink.

### COLEUS

There is nothing in the line of bedding plants that can ever take the place There is nothing in the line of bedding plants that can ever take the place of Coleus. Used in solid clumps or as edging to Canna beds, etc. 10c each, any 6 for 50c. Coleus, when sent by express (not prepaid), \$6.50 per 100. **BECKWITH'S GEM**—Beautiful fancy variety with large leaves of heavy texture and finely scalloped edges; center of leaf dark velvety maroon, bord-ered with fiery-red; edge is green, changing to creamy-yellow at the point of leaf. **LEOPARD**—Greenish-yellow ground thickly dotted and splashed maroon.

**CHRISTMAS QUEEN**—It is difficult to describe this beautiful new large leaf Coleus. Its coloring is gorgeous and ranges from dark velvety maroon through shades of brown, green, pink and yellow, the combinations of color varying in each plant. Must be seen to be fully appreciated. **DUNEBLA**—Grandest Coleus of recent years; has a deep velvety texture. Color crimson, maroon center; beautifully scalloped edge of light red; a fine showy bedder.

RAG CARPET-Center of leaf wine color, broad margin spotted dark maroon.

TRAILING BEAUTY-An excellent variety for hanging baskets and vases on account of its trailing habit; center of leaves fiery-crimson surrounded with deep marcon; deeply serrated edges of bright olive-green.



### HIBISCUS

**GRANDIFLORUS**—Rich, glossy foliage; blooms pro-fusely through the summer; literally covering the plants with scarlet-crimson single flowers. **PEACHBLOW**—One of the finest plant novelties of-fered in recent years; flowers double, from 4 to 5 inches in diameter; charming, rich, clear pink color, with a small deep crimson center; entirely new and most beau-tical shead. tiful shade

MINIATUS SEMIPLENUS--Semi-double flowers, light vermilion-scarlet; petals waved and recurred; flowers, non-ticeable for the absence of formality, but very handsome. Price: 15c each, any 2 for 25c; extra large size at 40c each, 3 for \$1.00.



## **INDOOR FERNS**

Ferns are a valuable addition to any home. They are very decorative and can be grown in vases or baskets or pots. They will thrive in any ordinary living room if given good drainage and kept well watered.

**PRICE** Any of the following Ferns in nice young plants, 20 cents each; any four for 75 cents. Strong four-inch pot plants, 50 cents each.

## VERONA

A handsome new variety of the Elegantissima type, somewhat resembling N. Whitmanii, but with finer "Ostrich Plume" foliage, and with stiffer mid-rib, which makes the fronds stand up better than most varieties of the Lace Fern.

## TEDDY JR.

(Dwarf Roosevelt)—A new dwarf form of the popular Roosevelt Fern; a grand compact grower, making

splendid specimens in medium size plants.

## **POPULAR BOSTON SWORD FERN**

(Nephrolepis Exaltata Bostoniensis)—In the vicinity of Boston no other plant is used so extensively as this graceful Nephrolepis, which differs from the ordinary Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of four feet. These fronds arch and droop over very gracefully on account of which it is frequently called the Fountain Fern.

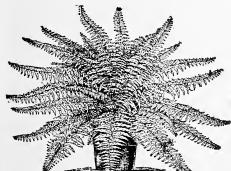
## THE ROOSEVELT FERN

(Nephrolepis Roosevelt)—In general characteristics it resembles the Boston Fern, but with two points of great excellence over that variety. First it produces many more fronds, making it a bushier and handsomer plant; then the pinnea are undulated, giving it a pronounced wavy effect seen in no other Fern. It is highly recommended.

## **OSTRICH PLUME FERN**

(Nephrolepis Whitmanii)—An improvement on the Nephrolepis Elegantissima, with still more gracefully divided pinnae, giving the whole plant an airy, lace-like appearance; makes beautiful symmetrical plants even in small sizes, and large specimen plants are beautiful beyond description.





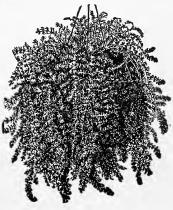
**ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI**— The Charming Decorative Plant. Not only is it useful for cutting in sprays for fine cut-flower work, more particularly in connection with large roses, etc., but grown in suspended pots it makes one of the perfect decorative house plants we know of. Price: 15 cents each; three for 40 cents; large plants from 4-inch pots, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00.

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS NANUS-(Lace Fern)-One of the handsomest of MONEY SAVING COLLECTION A 4 FERNS, ALL DIFFERENT VARIETIES, Anyone wanting ferns be sure to order this bargain. We will select for you 4 good plants of 4 good varieties and mail to you postpaid for 50c.

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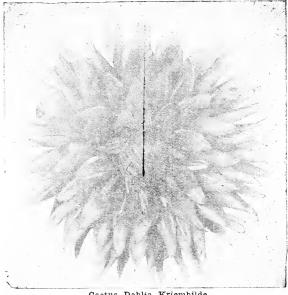


our foliage plants. The leaves are a bright green, gracefully arched, and as finely woven as the finest silken mesh. Their lasting quality when cut is remarkable, retaining their freshness for weeks, hence it ranks as the most valuable plant we have for this purpose, surpassing Maiden Hair Fern in grace, fineness of texture and richness of color. Price: 15 cents each; three for 40 cents; large plants in 4-inch pots, 40c each; three for \$1.00.



## SPRING HILL NURSERIES

## FINE NEW DAHLIAS



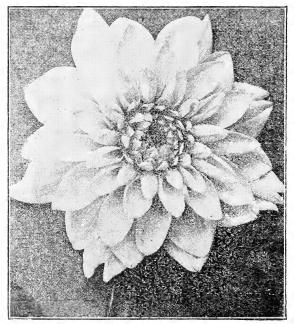
#### Cactus Dahlia Kriemhilde

#### SHOW DAHLIAS

ARABELLA-Primrose-yellow, tipped and shaded old rose and lavender; very fine.

**GRAND DUKE ALEXIS**—This is one of the most delicately beautiful of all Dahlias. Very large perfect form with long thick quilled petals overlapping at the ends. White, slightly tinged and suffused delicate lavender. Ethereally beautiful.

**MAUDE ADAMS** (Alexander's New Show Introduction.)— The color is a pure snowy-white, very effectively overlaid clear delicate pink. This wonderful variety is unsurpassed in quality in every respect, in reality a model of perfection. Undoubtedly this is the finest and most promising Dahlia introduced, and as a florist's Dahlia it is destined to become one of the most popular. We can highly recommend this variety.



Madame A. Lumiere

We are offering our customers a special treat this year in our Dahlias. The varieties below include some very rare sorts and are really worth more than the price we are asking.

QUEEN VICTORIA—Pure canary-yellow. One of the freest bloomers. Good for cutting.

WHITE SWAN—A beautiful pure white, medium size and a profuse bloomer on long stiff stems. Fine for cutting and the garden.

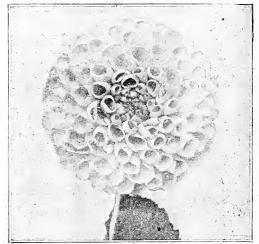
PRICES: 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.85

### CACTUS DAHLIAS

FLORA-The ideal white for cut flowers. Pure color and extremely free blooming.

**RRIEMHILDE**—A most popular cut flower variety. Color a brilliant pink, shading to white in the center. **PRINCE OF YELLOWS**—One of the best canaryyellows for cutting.

QUEEN OF HEARTS (New)-The best white Cactus ever introduced. Pure white shading to lemon. yellow at base of the petals; very free bloomer.



Maude Adams

**REINE CAYEAUX**—Brilliant Geranium-red; early and free; a great favorite.

**RUTH FORBES** (Hybrid)—The massive, clear pink flowers, composed of heavy petals, are often accompanied by stems measuring 2 feet in length; excel any other variety for large vase purposes.

PRICES: 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.85

### DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

**CUBAN GIANT**—Flowers of great size, measuring six inches across. Color dark, glowing crimson, shaded maroon. Magnificent.

JACK ROSE-Magnificent flower with perfect form. Color rich crimson-red with maroon shadings. Named for its counterpart among roses, the famous "General Jack."

**MADAME A. LUMIERE**—Ground color white, suffused towards the ends of the petals with red, the tips pointed with bright violet-red.

**OREGON BEAUTY**—Intense Oriental red Large flowers on long stems and plenty of them. A very desirable variety for any garden. Has been rightly characterized as a brilliant, gorgeous flower. Makes any garden look conspicuous.

QUEEN MARY—This is a stronger grower than Delice. A large flower with full, rounded center. The color is a soft shade of pink.

SOUV. DE GUSTAVE DOAZAN-Mammoth flowers with long. even petals 1 to 1% inches wide; center rounded-up and much darker than balance; brilliant orange-red. A free-bloomer and very showy.

PRICES: 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.85

## BULBS

## **TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO**

## SPRING BULBS CANNAS

The Cannas with their large, various-colored leaves, easily hold first place for producing a tropical effect on the lawn. Excellent effects may be secured by planting them singly or by planting in small clumps in the hardy shrubbery border. Against a heavy background of green, the bright colored, variously-marked leaves show to their best and are very attractive and interesting. Following kinds, 10c each; 10 for \$1.00; \$7.50

per 100 roots, except where noted. BLACK PRINCE—Velvety maroon; green foliage; 3 to 4 feet. GLADIATOR-Yellow spotted; green; 4 feet. AUSTRIA Pure canary yellow; 3 feet.

WYOMING-Orange; foliage purple; 7 feet.

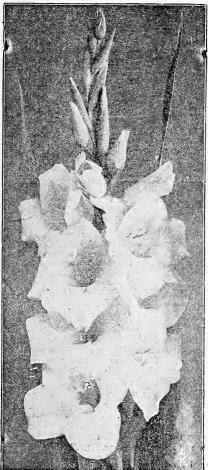
INDIANA-Golden orange; green foliage; 3 to 4 feet.

SHENANDOAH-Salmon; bronze foliage; 6 feet.

DAVID HARUM—Vermilion scarlet; bronze foliage; 3½ feet. KING HUMBERT—Orange scarlet;

foliage coppery bronze; 5 to 6 feet. CITY OF PORTLAND—A new vari-

ety; green foliage; glowing pink flowers; 31/2 feet. Price, 25c each; 6 for \$1.20.



America Gladiola





Black Prince

MRS. ALFRED **CONARD** — A nother new canna. Green foliage. Salmon pink flowers. Price, 4 feet, 25c each; 6 for \$1.20.

## GLADIOLI

AUGUSTA-Pure white. blue anthers.

AMERICA - Soft lavender pink.

MRŚ. FRANCIS KING-Brilliant vermilion scarlet.

LE MARECHAL FOCH -Deep rosy pink. PANAMA-The largest

among pink varieties.

WILBRINK A delicate pale pink.

Any of the above sorts 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.

MIXED GLADIOLUS-Good varieties, mixed, No. 1 size bulbs, at 10 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; 100 for \$5.00.

## JAPANESE LILIES

The Lilies have always been looked upon as among the noblest of the garden flowers. Their conspicuous and beautiful flowers and stately forms appeal strongly to the eye. Most varieties are very fragrant and are especially desirable for cut flowers.

ALBUM-Beautiful white flowers.

RUBRUM-Handsome, dark, pinkish-red flowers. Extra strong growing sort.

SPECIOSUM-White, more or less tinted with pink and dotted with red.

Blooming Size Bulbs, 35 cents each; 3 for \$1.00.



The Sensation of the Year. Charming and delicate.

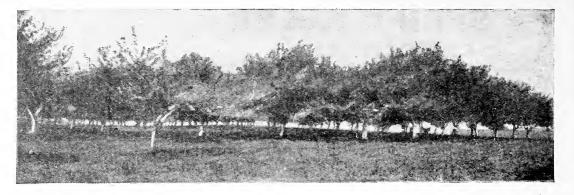
Regal Lily, being a native of Northwestern China, is hardy. Bailey's Cyclopedia of Horticulture says of it: "One of the most beautiful of all known lilies, the exquisite blending of tints and colors forming a charming contrast with the rich, deep-green foliage. Highly recommended for general culture both for the open ground and for pots." Our prices on Regal Lily are unusually low, due to the

fact that we now have a large stock of plants for the first time since its introduction.

Blooming Size Bulbs, 35 cents each; 3 for \$1.00.

## SPRING HILL NURSERIES

PLANTS



# APPLES, THE KING OF FRUITS

It is a recognized fact that of all fruits the apple is the most important, as it may be had fresh the year round, which is not the case with any other fruit.

By careful selection of varieties in regard to their time of ripening, apples may be had fresh from the tree from early summer until late Fall; and from the cellar or storage until the next season's crop is ready for use. Surely the Apple has been rightly called "The King of Fruitis."

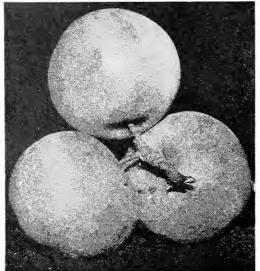
Apples are no longer considered a luxury, but have become a staple article of food and the demand for them is increasing faster than the supply. America is the greatest apple producing country on the globe, and must be depended upon to supply, not only the increasing demand of our own country, but of the foreign markets as well.

Farmers and fruit growers have found that orchards well cared for have given larger net returns per acre, during a series of years, than any other crops they have grown. There never has been a time when an orchard could be planted with a greater assurance of profit than now.

## SUMMER APPLES

## DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG

The most profitable mid-summer apple. Downing has the following to say of the Duchess: "This handsome Russian apple proves one of the most hardy and profitable varieties in cultivation, especially in our northwestern sections." The tree is vigorous, forming a roundish, upright spreading head, requiring little or no pruning, and producing abundantly, a fruit of fair,



Yellow Transparent

even and regular size, always commanding a ready sale. The fruit is very attractive, skin smooth, finely washed and streaked with red on a golden or yellow ground. Owing to the habit of growth these trees may be planted somewhat closer than many other varieties, comes into bearing unusually young, about the third or fourth year.

#### **RED ASTRACHAN**

A very beautiful, early summer apple of good medium size; skin almost entirely covered with deep crimson, presenting a striped appearance. Flesh white, crisp, moderately juicy, with an agreeable, rich, acid flavor. Tree is a vigorous upright grower, coming into bearing early. Can be grown anywhere in the United States. Ripens last of July to the middle of August.

## YELLOW TRANSPARENT

The earliest summer apple. The greatest home or market apple, the money-maker of summer apples, known to net over \$750.00 per acre annually. By many this is considered the best of all extra-early apples and comes into market when the demand for summer apples is extra strong; consequently it always brings the best prices. The Yellow Transparent is a hardy, beautiful, clear yellow Russian apple. It is medium-sized, uniform shape, round, tapering slightly at the blossom end. The flesh is white, fine grained, sub-acid and pleasant. A good quality for eating and the very best for cooking. The skin smooth, waxy, creamy yellow with a clearness from which it gets the name "Transparent."

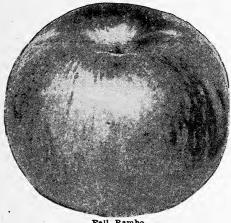
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### EARLY HARVEST

Much prized by the housewife. The Early Harvest has been in cultivation for more than one hundred years and this is a proof of its excellence. It is a very early variety, ripens in July and August. It is desirable for the home orchard because of its earliness and its excel-lence for dessert and culinary purposes. One of the best authorities has the following to say: "The Early Harvest, an American apple and tak-ing into account its beauty, its excellent qualities for the dessert and for cooking and its produc-tiveness, we think it the finest early apple yet known." Fruit is medium size to large; skin tender, very smooth, clear pale waxen yellow.

## FALL APPLES WEALTHY

The best money maker of its season. This is by far the most valuable of all the Fall apples. Tree has proven hardy, vigorous and healthy. The fruit is a brilliant red, distinctly marked with narrow stripes and splashes of deeper red. The quality of the fruit is superb. Those who prefer an apple that is tart and juicy regard the



Pail Rambo

#### FALL RAMBO

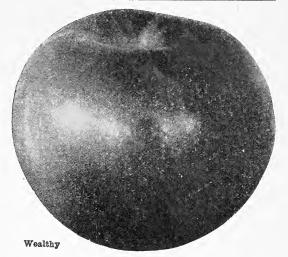
· One of the most popular Fall or Early Winter apples. Highly valuable for kitchen or table use. Fruit medium in size, flat, smooth, yellowish-white in shade streaked with pale red in the sun. October to December.

#### FAMEUSE

(Snow Apple)—An old and well-known variety, ripens in late fall, and keeps until the holidays. It keeps well in cold storage. The tree is vigorous, hardy, succeeds especially well in the North, and bears enormous crops. The fruit is of medium size, smooth and regular, deep crimson, with snowy-white, tender, melting flesh, slightly perfumed, of delightful flavor. November to January.

#### MAIDEN BLUSH

This oldtime tested apple is one of the most beautiful and productive of the Fall apples. It is of good uniform size. The color is a bright lemon-yellow, with a deep crimson blush spreading over one cheek. The flesh is white, crisp, tender, very juicy. It is a good eating apple and fine for cook-ing and druing. ing and drying. August to October.



Wealthy as the finest apple that is grown. The flesh is white, tender, crisp, fine-grained, aro-matic and bears very good. Tree a free grower, matic and bears very good. Tree a free grower, very hardy with stout branches. Bears fourth to fifth year. It is adapted to many soils and cli-

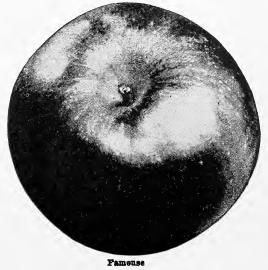
mates but has been planted most extensively in the upper Mississippi Valley where its hardiness is of the greatest importance. It is a good shipper and holds up well in storage for an early fall apple. Can often be held for the holiday trade. The Wealthy is likely the best late fall or early winter apple that can be used as a filler to occupy the extra space while the permanent trees are coming into bearing. Plant Wealthy for profit as well as for home use. October to January.

#### READ WHAT OTHERS SAY

451 Boom St., Cadillac, Michigan. Spring Hill Nurseries, Tippecanoe City, O. Dear Sirs: Our Nursery stock you shipped us last Spring is very satisfactory and doing fine. Will be very pleased to receive your new catalogue for the future, we remain, Yours very truly,

PETÉR TRUNBTOM.

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## WINTER APPLES BALDWIN

The apple of general popularity. It bears most abundantly. The Baldwin is a staple on the market everywhere. It is well known to every fruit grower and housewife in the northwestern United States. A bright red winter apple, rich, sub-acid, excellent because of its dessert and cooking qualities. The flesh is firm and brittle, the skin tough, making it a good shipper and a splendid keeper, it also dries well. The tree grows quickly and to a large size and yields big crops.

### BANANA

This apple is not as generally planted as its merits would warrant, and we recommend it both for home and market. Fruit large, clear pale yellow with beautifully contrasting pinkish-red blush; attractive in appearance, characteristically aromatic; of good dessert quality. Tree is a vigorous grower, comes into bearing young and is almost an annual bearer. It yields moderate to heavy crops. In commercial storage it will keep from October till December.

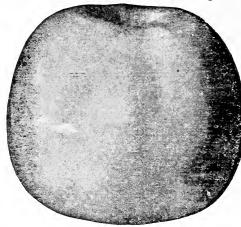
#### ENSEE THE BEST OF ALL

The growth of this tree is upright while young, but becomes more spreading and drooping with advancing age and fruit bearing. The fruit is about the size of the Rome Beauty, with the quality of the Jonathan or

the Rome Beauty, with the quality of the Jonathan or Grimes Golden, but more juicy than either of them, and never gets dry even after being in storage for a year. The flesh is yellowish, crisp, rich, delightful.

## N. W. GREENING

This is an annual, abundantbearing sort. The tree and fruit buds are very hardy. The fruit is large, greenishyellow when ripe; good flavor, juicy and sub-acid. Good keeper. A wonderful cooking apple and one of our best selling varieties. January to June.



Grimes Golden

### JONATHAN

A general favorite everywhere. The Jonathan originated in New York state and belongs to the Spitzenburg class. It

is a medium sized apple, brilliant red; very highly flavored, juicy, fine-grained, tender, mild, sub-acid. Quality is fine for home use and for marketing in large or small quantities, a most attractive apple and a very late keeper. The tree is long lived, but comes into bearing very young and produces big crops every year.

Delicious

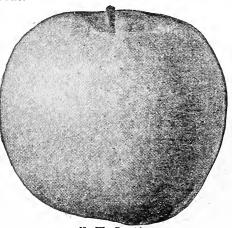
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## GRIMES GOLDEN

The BEST and most widely planted yellow apple. The tree is hardy and productive. It can be used to an advantage as a filler as it comes into bearing rather early. Few apples have proven more profitable in the commercial orchard. The fruit is of medium size, tender, rich, aromatic, sub-acid, good to very good, for eating raw or cooking. It is a splendid box apple going as it does on the fancy counter. There should be in every orchard, home and commercial some of the Grimes Golden Apples.

### DELICIOUS

Large, with surface almost covered with a most brilliant beautiful dark red; in quality it is unsurpassed; in flavor it is sweet, slightly touched with acid, but only enough to make it all the more pleasing; flesh is fine grained, crisp, juicy, delicious; in keeping qualities it ranks with the best, coming out of storage in early Spring in perfect condition. It is one of the strongest, hardiest, most vigorous growers among apples.



N. W. Greening

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## BULBS

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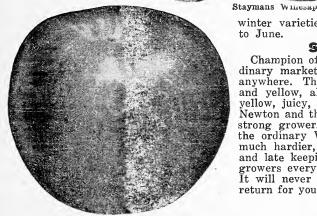
SEEDS

## WINTER APPLES--CONTINUED

**BEN DAVIS** (The Great Barrel Filler). This apple is a remarkably fine keeper and will prove a profitable market variety if planted in the right section and properly handled. The Ben Davis requires a long season for its maturity, so should not be planted in the northern fruit belts. The fruit should be allowed to remain on the tree as late in the Fall as possible, then stored and not offered on the market until April or May. Fruit large, handsome, brightly striped with red; flesh white, juicy, subacid. Tree is a vigorous grower and healthy; bears annually, early and abundantly.

TALMAN SWEET Medium size, pale yellow, flesh fine grained, white, firm, juicy and very sweet. Every home orchard should contain our three baking apples. The Golden Sweet for summer and early fall

baking, the Talman Sweet for early winter and Stayman's Winesap for late winter. These three make a great combination of rich goodness that will tempt the most ex-acting appetite. November to January.

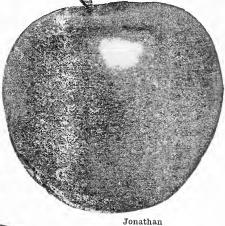


#### Rome Beauty

#### ROME BEAUTY

The great profit maker. An old apple, but one that steadily grows in popularity, and is a money maker for growers all over the country. It has an established place in the markets and no orchard should be without this apple. It is large, mottled and striped in different shades of red. The flavor and quality are way above the average; appearance and size are its valuable points and it always brings a good price. With an established reputa-tion due to real merit, the Rome Beauty should be largely planted by orchardists. It is a good grower, blooms late, bears heavily every year and is adapted to a wide range of soils, elevations and conditions. On account of being a late bloomer it is rarely ever damaged by frost. Its reliability makes it a favorite with growers. Its fine quality makes it popular both with consumers and dealers.

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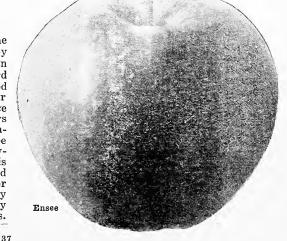
## NORTHERN SPY

Large, striped crimson in the sun, juicy, rich and aromatic, retaining these qualities until late spring or summer. The tree grows rapidly, bears well as it blooms later than most varieties. Valuable as an aphisresisting sort. This apple has taken its place at the front of

winter varieties over quite a large territory. January to June.

#### STAYMAN'S WINESAP

Champion of all Winesaps. Here we have an extraor-dinary market and family apple. Succeeds wonderfully anywhere. The fruit is medium to large; attractive green and yellow, almost hidden by dark red stripes. Flesh yellow, juicy, quality the best, ranking with the Yellow Newton and the Grimes Golden. The tree is a quick and strong grower. The Stayman tree somewhat resembles the ordinary Winesap, but is a stronger grower and is much hardier, and because of its heavy bearing habits and late keeping it is a great source of revenue to the growers everywhere. Do not hesitate to plant Stayman. It will never disappoint you and will yield you a large return for your investment.



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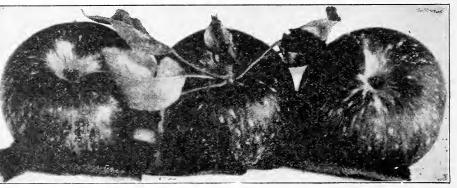
## WINTER APPLES--CONTINUED

#### **APPLE TREE COLLECTION NO. A** 2-YEAR-OLD APPLE TREES

Each season we have a surplus of some varieties and a shortage	
ually due to good or poor crop conditions. We offer nothing but the	very best varieties, so
you are taking no chances of getting inferior stock. We do not li	
go to waste, so are offering them to you at the following prices, OUR	selection of varieties:
10, 3 to 4 feet, 1st class \$3.00 25, 3 to 4 feet, 1st clas	\$ \$7.00
10, 4 to 5 feet, 1st class 4.00 25, 4 to 5 feet, 1st cla	
10, 5 to 7 feet, 1st class 5.50 25, 5 to 7 feet, 1st cla	ss12.50
We will see that you get a good assortment, and with the same g	
as given all other trees offered in our catalog. When ordering specify	size and price.

#### RAMBO

The Rambo is too well known to need much description, as it is one of the old favorites that has its place in the farm as well as the commercial The orchard. fruit is of medium size, green-ish yellow, partly covered with red in the sun. Good flav-



or and very juicy. The tree is a heavy bearer. Season October to December.

#### WINESAP

One of the old standbys. It is one of the very best keepers. Medium size, smooth and a fine dark red; flesh yellow, crisp, tender, very juicy, aromatic, firm and very good. Popular with fruit stores because it always holds up, and is one of the leading export apples. The tree is a strong grower, the root growth being exceptionally strong. It comes into bearing early and is remarkable for its regular and abundant crops. This is one of the sorts you must not

overlook when planting an orchard, either for home consumption or for the market. When grown pro-

perly, and packed in an attractive manner, it brings highest prices in the fancy market, where its quality causes it to be eagerly bought.

Rambo Apples

### **WOLF RIVER**

A large handsome apple, and originated on the banks of the Wolf River at Fremont, Wis. Very hardy variety, strong, vigorous grower, with spreading habit. Produces full crops of very large fruit; white flesh, tender, juicy and pleasant to taste. It has a mild sub-acid, with a peculiar spicy, slight quince-like flavor.

YORK IMPERIAL An important commercial apple. Good keeper, with advantage of mellowing in time for use soon after picking if not stored to prevent it. Can be kept till new crop comes. Medium sized,

round, irregular; greenish-yellow overlaid with bright red stripes; flesh tender, firm, crisp, juicy, extra good flavor. Tree is a vigorous grower.

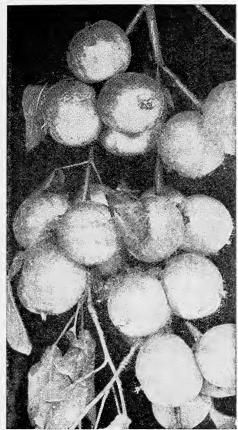
Wolf River

#### PRICES ON ALL VARIETIES APPLE TREES

Prices of All Varieties	2-Year-Old Trees	Prices of All Varieties 1-Year-Old Trees	
First Class Each	10 25 1 <b>00</b>	First Class Each 10 25 100	
3 to 4 feet\$0.50	\$4.00 \$10.00 \$38.00	2 to 3 feet\$0.25 \$2.00 \$4.00 \$15.0	0
4 to 5 feet	5.00 12.50 40.00	3 to 4 feet	0
5 to 7 feet	7.50 16.00 55.00	4 to 5 feet50 4.25 10.00 30.0	0

## TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO





Whitney Crab

on in the opinion of many growers for choosing the one-year old tree. "The tree which has stood in the nursery row only one year can without doubt be transplanted easier and with more assurance of its living than one which has grown for two years in the nursery row, as the root system of the one-year-old tree will not be as disturbed as the older tree.

For this same reason the one-year-old tree will get a better hold on the soil than if it had stood two years and then had its anchor roots disturbed.

"Again, the one-year-old tree will bear fruit just as soon as the older tree on account of its becoming es-tablished quicker after transplanting.

"Lastly, they may be bought for less money, this makes a difference with many; however, the price should be the last consideration, quality always first in

any tree." For Prices on 1-Year-Old Apple Trees See Page 38



## CRAB APPLES

Crab Apples form a valuable crop, both in home and commercial orchards. They are especially desirable in the colder sections, where only a few varieties of Apples can be successfully grown; but they succeed well in all climates and their fruit is very popular. A few years ago they were thought fit only for cider, preserves and jellies; but there are varieties now that command a good price on the market for dessert purposes, especially in the case of the Whitney Crab Apples; do well on almost all soils. Come into bearing early and bear almost every year.

TRANSCENDENT This is the largest and best of the Siberian Crabs. The tree is extremely hardy, good grower, and usually very productive. The fruits are about one and a half to two inches in diameter. Bright yellow striped with red, flesh crisp, juicy and subacid. August to September.

#### WHITNEY

The tree is a hardy, thrifty, upright grower, and comes into bearing when young; it is a very productive var-iety. The flesh is yellowish, crisp, juicy and splendid for eating and cider. August and September.

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## ONE YEAR OLD APPLE REES

In order to supply our constantly increasing demand for one-year-old apple trees, we have grown and herewith present to our patrons a list of varieties we can supply in one-year-old trees.

The popularity of the one-year apple trees has grown out of the experience of commercial orchardists who choose them for the following reasons:

"The one-year tree or whip gives the grower a chance to form the head of the tree at any desired height, also to build exactly the kind of a head he may desire. This alone would be sufficient reas-



One-year old Tree Form Fine Heads

## SPRING HILL NURSERIES



well known as they are in Europe or as they should be here. The fruits are just the same as on the standard varieties. The only difference is, the trees or plants do not take so much room as many of them may be trained on the fence, or even along the side of a building if necessary. They also come into bearing much earlier than the standard sorts. It is possible to plant three to five hundred dwarf trees on a quarter of an acre of ground, where less than a dozen standard varieties would flourish. The dwarf fruit trees also work more readily into a scheme of more or less ornamental gardening, where fruits are combined with flowers, especially if some sort of formal gardening is attempted. The cordon. espalier and pyramids exactly suit these demands.

## **DWARF APPLES**

Dwarf Apples are produced by grafting the variety de-sired onto the dwarf parasite stock, raised for this purpose. Plant one-year-old trees. They will develop into any shaped tree you wish to train them and will produce the fruit in a very few years. In fact, one-year-old trees often produce fruit in the nursery rows the second year.

DWARF APPLE TREES-2 year old, 3 to 4 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10.

**VARIETIES**—Jonathan, Wealthy, Wolf River, Red Astrachan, Baldwin, Fallawater, Early Harvest. Plant in spring or late fall, 6 to 8 feet apart.

## **DWARF CHERRIES**

We are able this year to furnish the Dwarf Cherry, which is a very welcome addition to our list. The Dwarf Which is a very welcome addition to our list. The Dwarf Cherry makes a beautiful compact small tree that is very ornamental. They bear very early in life and their fruit is of an exceptional high quality. All dwarf fruits are be-coming more popular each year because they are so well adapted to the small city lot. Dwarf Cherries can be plant-ed about ten feet apart and they make a beautiful hedge. DWARF CHERRY TREES-Two-year-old, 3 to 4 feet, 90c each; \$8.00 per 10; \$18.75 per 25. VARIETIES-Montmorency and Early Richmond.

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DWARF PEARS The pear is very profitably grown as a "dwarf." These pears differ from the standards inasmuch as they are pro-pagated on a quince root, which makes it slow growing and dwarfish. The fruit is the same in either case. The quality and appearance of the fruit will convince anyone that they are availant to alkant that they are excellent to plant.

DWARF PEARS-Select trees, 2 and 3 years old 3 to 4 feet 60c each; \$5.00 per 10; \$11.25 per 25.

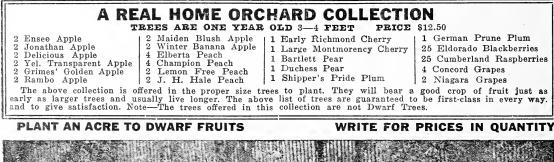
**VARIETIES**—Duchess, Kieffer, Flemish Beauty, Clapp's Favorite, White Star. Plant spring and fall, 8 to 10 feet apart.

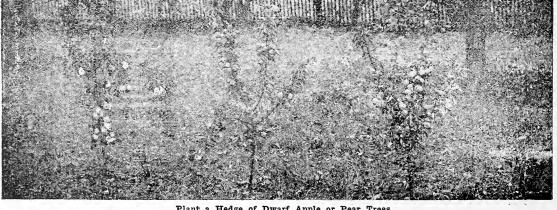
## DWARF PEACHES

For quick bearing fruits we have nothing that will equal a Dwarf Peach Tree. They are very beautiful when in bloom and give the appearance of a tall shrub rather than a tree. They are very good bearers of a high quality fruit. Just the thing for tall screens or for backgrounds in Just the thing for tall your shrubbery planting.

**DWARF PEACHES**—One-year-old trees, 3 to 4 feet, 75c each; \$7.00 per 10; \$8.75 per 25.

VARIETIES-Elberta and Rochester.





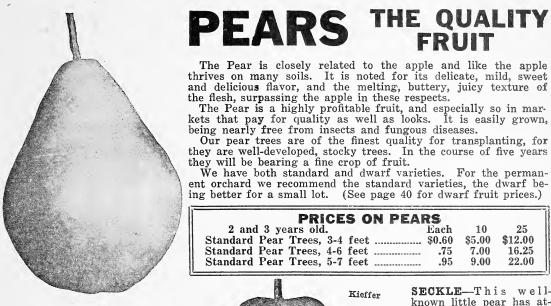
Plant a Hedge of Dwarf Apple or Pear Trees 40

## BULBS

## TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO

2 and 3 years old.

SEEDS



## LIST OF VARIETIES

ANJOU (Buerre d' Anjou) -Rather large; flesh yellowish-white, fine grained, melting, with a rich, excellent flavor. Good keeping qualities.

BARTLETT-One of the most popular sorts, both for home and market. It is large, handsome waxen yel-low, with red blush; fiesh buttery, rich and juicy, highly flavored. One of the best varieties for canning. Ripens in August and September.

CLAPP'S FAVORITE-Fruit handsome, large, long, yellow, spotted dull red where exposed to the sun; flesh fine-grained, juicy, rich, sweet flavored. It resembles the Bartlett. The tree is a

vigorous grower, hardy and productive. Ripens in August. DUCHESS D'ANGOULENE-This is the largest among our really good pears. The skin is a dull greenish-yellow; flesh white, melting, juicy and well flavored. The tree is a vigorous grower and a reliable bearer. A profitable market variety and fair for home use. Ripens in October and Nov. FLEMISH BEAUTY-One of the best varieties of pears for the Southwest, on account of its hardiness. The tree is a strong grower, an annual and abundant bearer, and is usually successful over a large range of country. The fruit is large; the skin pale yellow; the flavor is sweet and melting. Ripens in September and October.

**KEIFFER**—On account of the excellent keeping qualities it is one of the best and most profitable market varieties. Fine for canning or preserving. For commercial orchard it is undoubtedly one of the best. The trees are not troubled with scale and seldom fail to bear a good crop. Trees bear young. October and November.

KOONCE-Exceedingly hardy variety, in fact almost frostproof, will bear heavy crops when other kinds are destroyed by frost, medium size. July and August.

SECKLE-This wellknown little pear has attained the rank of standard in quality on account of its rich delicious flavor; very popular for dessert. Aug. and Sept.

10

\$12.00

16.25

22.00

\$5.00

7.00

9.00

Each

.95

We have both standard and dwarf varieties. For the perman-

PRICES ON PEARS

Kieffer

Standard Pear Trees, 5-7 feet .....

SHELDON-A pear of the finest quality; rich and highly aromatic. The fruit is greenish russet with a red cheek; large size and somewhat flattened shape. Ripens in September.

Bartlett

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## SPRING HILL NURSERIES

# FINE PEACHES

The nature and quality of the Peach is so well and universally known that it needs no word of introduction or commendation from us. Its importance as one of the necessary luxuries of the home is keenly felt by every family and was never more emphasized than at the present when the scarcity and high prices put it beyond the reach of everyone, who does not have his own trees.

Though peach growing is fast becoming a great industry and large numbers of trees are being planted, the supply is nothing like equal to the demand. Every one who owns a farm should plant a few peach trees for home use, or a larger number for commercial purposes. If he owns only his home he should plant a few trees in the back yard and produce peaches enough for his own family's use.

It is better to plant a few peach trees every year, in the home garden as the younger trees as a rule bear fruits of better quality and in that way you have trees coming into bearing each year. It is well to plant a good assortment of early, medium and late varieties, thus insuring a long season of delicious fruit for canning, table or for market.

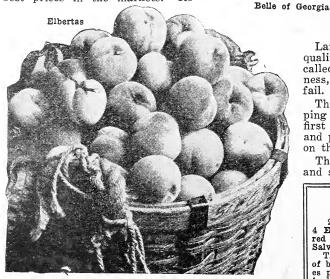
No difference whether few or many trees are planted they are sure to pay large dividends.

All of our varieties are standard quality but we especially recommend to our patrons these we describe most fully, because we know that these varieties will give them the best returns.

#### BELLE OF GEORGIA

A large freestone peach, a most excellent variety, ripens early in August. Fruit very large and most attractive in color and shape, with a light red cheek. Flesh is white, firm and delicious; in all ways the quality is very fine.

It has become one of the standard varieties in the big commercial orchards, as it stands shipping well and it invariably brings the best prices in the markets. Its



For Prices of Peach Trees See Page 44.



PLANTS

General Funston

popularity is not confined to a single locality, for it grows with equal success in both South and North.

In many respects it is equal to the Elberta, and some orchardists are planting both varieties, thus insuring marketable fruit over a longer period. The tree is a strong, vigorous grower, very hardy in both bud and wood. It is a productive and reliable bearer. Its fine quality, productiveness and hardiness make it popular with the consumer and producer.

## **GENERAL FUNSTON**

Large, new peach seedling, most excellent quality, white freestone, red cheek. Has been called "Frost Proof Beauty" because of hardiness, producing fruit when all other varieties fail.

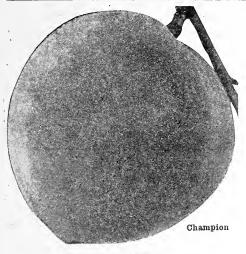
The fruit is firm and solid, and stands shipping well, so that it comes on the market in first class condition. It is fine for canning and preserving and commands the best prices on the market.

The tree is a good grower, strong, shapely and symmetrical.

## COLLECTION B

Ten Peach Trees, \$2.50. 2 Collections, \$4.75; 4 Collections, \$9.50 4 Elberta—Yellow freestone; 2 Champion—White, red cheek, early; 2 Kalamazoo—Yellow freestone; 2 Salway—Yellow freestone, late; All 2 to 3 feet. The above ten trees, 2-3 feet guaranteed to be of best quality and purity. Price to you—all charges prepaid—by parcel post—\$2.50. You cannot afford to miss this offer. **BULBS** 

## TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO



### ELBERTA

The old reliable peach, of which more are planted and from which more money has been made than from any other variety. The fruit is extra large; golden yellow, with brilliant shades of red; firm, juicy, rich and sweet. In fact it is the most popular of all the freestones. The tree is vigorous, sturdy—and hardy; thrives in widely different localities.

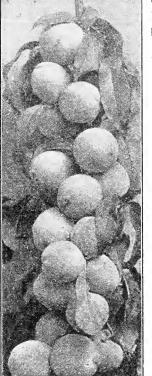
For years the Elberta has been the standard market peach, both in the southern and northern markets, and it has a place in the estimation of commercial growers and the users of peaches which will be very hard to fill with any other variety; the Elberta is the one variety that every fruit stand customer seems to know. No other peach has been introduced which fills all the requirements of a commercial peach with such success as the Elberta. Ripens about the first of August.

#### CHAMPION

One of the finest freestone peaches The fruit is large, creamy white, with a red cheek. The flesh is sweet, juicy, very high quality, and of excellent flavor. It is one of the showiest peaches in the market, is a good shipper and an excellent seller. The tree is hardy and productive, and a value for home or commercial orchard.

#### ROCHESTER

A yellow freestone variety having the exceptional merits of being early (ripening about Aug. 10), extraordinary sweetness and early bearing. Fruit is large, yellow, sweet, juicy and of delicious flavor; keeping and shipping well; skin prettily blushed. Tree is strong growing and hardy, an annual and prolific cropper.



Rochester

The tree is a very vigorous grower, is hardy under some of the most unfavorable conditions and bears freely every year.

PEACHES, CONTINUED CARMEN A fine market variety, being the first real freestone of the season. Large, yellowish white. Flesh

This is a favorite variety with may growers. Because of its earliness it is one of the most profitable ever introduced. The returns from a successful Carmen orchard are almost beyond belief, and the fruit stands shipping so well that it always reaches the markets in prime condition, and its handsome appear-

is creamy white, is tender, rich and juicy.

ance causes it to bring the highest prices.

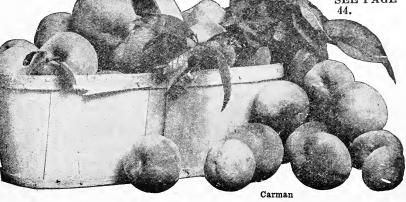
The Carmen is said to have the same parentage as the Elberta and possesses many of the excellent qualities of that very profitable Peach. Bears third to fourth year.

#### FITZGERALD

The Fitzgerald is of Canadian origin and it is of one of the hardiest peaches both in tree and bloom. Fruit is a large, yellow, free stone, tinted with red, firm, juicy, of very high quality.

The tree is a good grower and very productive, begining to bear the second year. It has been a success in nearly all peach sections. It is a splendid quality peach, very profitable for the market, and should be planted in every orchard, and especially where hardy varieties are necessary. Ripens the last of August.

FOR PRICES SEE PAGE



## SPRING HILL NURSERIES

J. H. Hale

## J. H. HALE

This remarkable peach, discovered as a chance seedling, by J. H. Hale, is a wonderfully fine peach, magnificent in appearance and delightful in flavor. The tree is

enormously productive and the fruit is of larger size than the Elberta. Color a deep, golden yellow overlaid with bright carmine. Smooth, solid thick skin, a peach without the fuzz, absolutely dis-tinct in this respect, it stands in a class alone. Flesh deep yellow, firm, finegrained, and as solid as a cling, yet parting as freely from the pit as the freest of the free, a delicipeachy ous flavor, such as is seldom

# PEACHES, CONTINUED

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This is a splendid peach possessing many very excellent qualities. Large, almost lemon shaped, pointed at the apex. In color it is a lemon yellow brightened with red cheek; the flesh is golden yellow, tender and juicy.

One of the very best for canning purposes, and ripens in October when it is not so hot it is a great favorite with the women who want to can fruit in pleasant weather.

The tree is a fine, vigorous grower and is an abundant bearer.

## **OTHER GOOD VARIETIES**

**CRAWFORD'S LATE**—Similar to Crawford's Early ripens two or three weeks later.

**ENGLE'S MAMMOTH**—Late yellow freestone, resembles Crawford's Late, but is more productive. September.

HEATH CLING—Very large, a creamy white peach, flesh pure white to stone, juicy and sweet. October. KALAMAZOO—Freestone of excellent quality. Fruit

large; golden yellow with crimson cheek. Flesh yellow, delightful flavor.

LEMON CLING—Large, oblong yellow peach, firm and rich. Tree hardy and productive.

**MOUNTAIN ROSE**—Large, handsome freestone, yellow skin with red cheek. Flesh white, juicy and most excellent. August.

**NEW PROLIFIC**—Very popular market sort. Large yellow freestone. Flesh firm, juicy and fine flavor. September.

SMOCK—Large, yellow freestone, mottled with red, enormously productive and valuable for market. Sept.

#### PRICES OF FIRST CLASS PEACH TREES Each 10 25 10

found in a yellow peach; altogether a combination of productiveness, size, beauty, solidity, texture and flavor that cannot be duplicated. Its firm, tenacious skin makes it a very fine shipper, and on the markets it commands

the highest prices. This great peach shows marvelous adaptability.

Lemon Free

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PLANTS

## **TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO**

## CHERRY TR

A good cherry orchard for commercial purposes is one of the most profitable ventures a farmer can undertake, because there is no other fruit so much in demand at such good prices. The trees are very thrifty and prolific, bear-

ing large crops annually. The fruit is easily picked and it is always in great demand in its season, brings prices amply sufficient to repay the investment and give fancy profits. No home orchard is complete without some cherry trees.

There is no fruit which makes more delicious preserves and housewives appreciate the value of a good supply of canned cherries for winter pies, puddings and other desserts. Cherry trees are naturally hardy and are infected by fewer diseases than any other fruit tree. The so-called sour varities are hardy, vigorous and frost resisting and are never troubled with scale, but spraying is of course beneficial to the trees. They are easily grown wherever apples succeed, and are late bloomers.

Few trees will bear such an abundant amount of luscious fruit every year with as little expense. The trees succeed best when planted in sandy or gravelly loam; avoid low or wet ground.

Our cherry stock is the best selected varieties and as fine as can be produced. They are all budded on imported Mahaleb stock, which makes the best and longest lived trees.

#### **GOVERNOR WOOD**

The standard of quality among the sweet cherries. The large, light red fruit hangs well on the tree and does not rot easily. The fruit buds are hardy and the tree is a stout, healthy grower, and an abundant bearer. June.

### YELLOW SPANISH

Large, handsome, sweet cherry with light red cheek, firm Tree vigorous in growth and productive. and delicious. Late June.

## **BLACK TARTARIAN**

A beautiful, purplish cherry of superb quality, rich and juicy. This remarkable tree makes a beautiful erect growth. A prolific bearer. Late June and July. erect

#### DYEHOUSE

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Bright red, proli-fic bearer. The fruit fic bearer. Inc. is mildly subacid, excellent variety for canning, good ship-per. Free and vigor-ous. Last of May.



Early Richmond

Large Montmorency

## MAY DUKE

A large, light red cherry of most ex-cellent quality. They are between a sweet and a sour cherry. Fine for canning. The tree is a strong, upright grower.

## LARGE MONTMORENCY

**LARGE MONIMURENCE** Several different strains come under this variety or name; all of them are good, but we consider this particular strain one of the very best of the sour cherries, and it should be largely plant-ed in every orchard. The fruit is large, dark red, and handsome.

**EARLY RICHMOND** Unsurpassed for cooking. The tree is a free grower and reliable producer. The fruit is medium, dark red, juicy and has an acid flavor. June.

## PRICES ON CHERRY TREES

		Eaci	1 10	20	100
Cherry Trees,	First Class				
2 year old.	2 to 3 ft	\$0.40	\$3.50	\$8.50	\$34.00
2 year old.	2 to 3 ft 3 to 4 ft 4 to 6 ft	60	5.50	12.50	48.00
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#### CHERRY COLLECTION NO. D

Each season we have a surplus of some varieties and a shortage of others. This is usually due to good or poor crop conditions. We offer nothing but the very best varieties so you are taking no chances on getting inferior stock. We do not like to have these trees go to waste, so are offering them to you at the following prices, QUR selection of varieties: \$2.356 First Class, 1 yr. top, 2 yr. root, 2 to 3 feet \$3.45 6 First Class, 2 yr. top, 3 yr. root, 3 to 4 feet When Ordering Please Specify Size and Price

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## SPRING HILL NURSERIES

PLANTS

FOR PRICES ' OF PLUM

TREES SEE

## PLUMS A BEAUTIFUL AND

## ORNAMENTAL TREE FOR THE CITY LOT

BE SURE TO PLANT SOME THIS YEAR

Moores Arctic Plum

Plum trees are often called the poor man's tree because they require so little room to grow and are always such prolific bearers. The market's demand for high grade plums is almost unlimited, and for dessert, cooking, and canning, no fruit is more delicious.

Use plum trees to fill the places on your farm where other fruit trees will not have room to grow. Plant a commercial orchard of plums; give it good attention and it will bring you large profits and prove a good investment.

A light sandy soil is preferred for plums but they do well in almost any soil as long as it is well drained. The tree should be sprayed annually with Bordeaux mixture.

The varieties we offer have been thoroughly tested and are "stand-bys." They may be re-lied upon to furnish annual crops of highly profitable and delicious fruit. The stock is clean, healthy, and sturdy two-year-old, budded on the finest Myrobolm plum stock.

This sort of stock comes into bearing very early and a fair crop is assured the third and fourth years. From 135 to 170 trees should be planted to the acre, and in their prime they will produce \$10.00 worth of fruit to the tree.

A good plum orchard should return to the owner the fourth year the entire amount expended for trees and culture up to that time, and afterwards be a source of continued profit.

#### ABUNDANCE

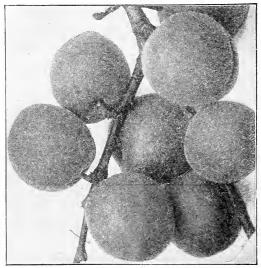
A beautiful yellow, heavily overspread with purple-carmine; large to very large; the flesh is yellow, very juicy, sweet and quite firm; skin tough. The tree is a strong, thrifty grower, very hardy and prolific. The fruit stands shipping well to distant markets. July.

#### BURBANK

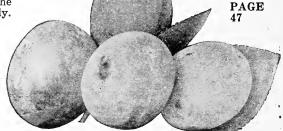
Successful almost anywhere. The fruit is of very large size, the color cherry red, mottled. The flesh is yellow, sweet and firm. It is fine for keeping and shipping. The tree is a vigorous grower, but so straggling that it requires sharp pruning. It ripens in August.

#### BRADSHAW

Remarkably good early plum. This variety is a very large dark red. The flesh is yellow, juicy and



German Prune



#### Reine Claude

good. A valuable market variety. The tree is an erect, vigorous grower. Middle of August.

#### **GERMAN PRUNE**

One of the oldest varieties. The tree is vigorous in growth and productive. Large, purple fruit that is firm, sweet, and delicious. A freestone. Sept.-

#### LOMBARD

A favorite for canning and culinary purposes. Of medium size, oval, violet-red. Flesh is yellow, juicy, pleasant and good. Adheres to the stone. Good market variety. The tree is strong and pro-ductive, bearing when quite young. Ripens late in August.

#### MOORE'S ARCTIC

Purplish black plum with a thin bloom. The fruit is small to medium; flesh juicy, sweet and fine flavored. Tree is healthy, a regular and abundant bearer. August.

**REINE CLAUDE** Fine variety for canning. Fruit is large, round-ish oval greenish yellow, spotted with red; flesh yel-low, juicy, rich, and of the finest quality. Very productive.

## BULBS

Satsuma

## TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO

## **PLUMS--CONTINUED**

### SATSUMA

Ripens in early September. Purple red. Flesh is dark red. Tree is a free bearer, but should be planted in a situation which may be slightly protected by buildings or a windbreak.

#### SHIPPER'S PRIDE

A large, showy plum, frequently reaching a diameter of two inches. It is a dark purple in color, of the Damson type. The flesh is sweet and firm. Good shipper. September.

### YELLOW EGG

A beautiful yellow, egg-shaped plum of the largest size; the flesh is yellow, and is somewhat coarse; always clings to the stone. This is an excellent variety for canning and always brings a good price on the market. The tree is a prolific bearer and a good grower. Late August.

PRICES OF				
GOOD PLUM TREES				
- Each 10 25				
2 year old, 3 to 4 feet\$0.40 \$3.50 \$8.00				
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2 year old, 5 to 7 feet				
Plant Spring or Fall, 16 to 20 Feet Apart.				

## QUINCES

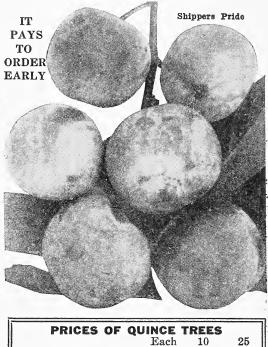
#### Plant Spring and Fall, 10 to 12 Feet Apart.

The Quince is always in demand, although its commercial value has changed but little for many years. Quinces are largely used in cooking, canning, and preserving, as they have a delicious flavor. Yet the increased size of the fruit and the quality repay well for all the extra work given them. Trees thrive in almost any soil, but prefer a heavy, moist clay loam.

### LIST OF VARIETIES

**CHAMPION**—A strong, rugged exceedingly productive tree which begins to bear when two years old. The fruit is large, oval, of a rich color and excellent quality. It ripens late and keeps well until January.

**APPLE, or ORANGE**—Large, round, bright golden yellow; cooks quite tender, and has an excellent flavor. Valuable for preserving and for market. An abundant bearer. One of the finest late varieties.



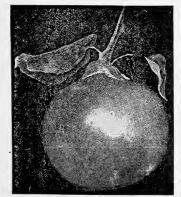
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3	to	4	feet				\$0.85	\$8.00	\$19.50
4	to	5	feet				1.00	10 \$8.00 9.50	22.50
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## **MULBERRIES**

On account of the beautiful, heavy foliage and compact growth of the mulberries, they are frequently classed as ornamental trees. They are very hardy and long lived, in fact one specimen of which we know is more than three hundred years old. Throughout the Western States they are frequently planted for windbreaks and hedges, and are valuable for posts and because the fruit attracts many birds, they can be planted as a protection to orchards.

**NEW AMERICAN**—Equal to the Downing in all respects and is a much hardier tree. Vigorous grower and very productive. The best variety for fruit. The berries are very large and ripen from June to middle of September. 3 to 4 feet, 75c.

**RUSSIAN**—A very hardy, rapid-growing tree and very productive, but fruit is small and is of little value except as food for the birds. Often planted around orchards for this purpose. The wood is valuable for posts. 5 to 6 feet, 75c; 3 to 4 feet, 50c.



Apple or Orange Quince

## SPRING HILL NURSERIES

 Niger
 The FRUIT IN GREATEST DEMAND

One of the most satisfactory crops that can be grown, because it can be depended upon practically every year, and can be grown almost anywhere, but to produce the finest specimens they should be carefully cultivated and pruned. The food worth of this delicious fruit is almost incalculable. Like nearly all fruits it contains a large percentage of water, a valuable food factor, since two-thirds of the human body is water. This water is sweetened with one of the most healthful forms of sugar, and sugar is the most highly concentrated form of fuel food for the generation of heat and energy in the body. The grape contains from 13 to 25 per cent grape sugar, and in addition to water and sugar is composed of tartaric acid, sodium, potash, magnesium and iron, all of these properties are essential to the health of man; but by far the most valuable food feature of this delightful fruit is its large content of iron in a form more easily assimilated by the human system than is elsewhere found in nature. The

the human system than is elsewhere found in nature. The grape actually is heavy with iron, and in order to appreciate the full meaning of this fact one must remember that the human system not only needs but demands a constant supply of this mineral. It is iron that makes for red blood and in nine cases out of ten it is lack of iron that pales the cheeks and takes the pep out of life. Neither vegetable nor animal life could exist without it and science has proven that chemical compounds put up in bottles do not supply this valuable mineral as it is found in food.

There are over 100 varieties of grapes to select from, but a great many of them have no merit, while others have too many bad qualities, which, in our estimation, disqualifies them for general use.

The market for grapes is far greater than the supply, and anyone wanting to plant an acre or so will find them a profitable crop to grow.

Write for quotations in large quantities.

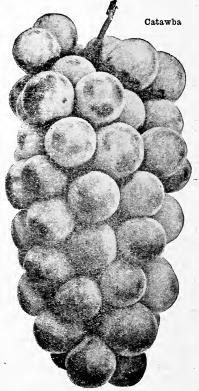
#### AGAWAM

Deep red or maroon. The large meaty berries which are borne in extra large, loose-shouldered bunches, are juicy and of a delightful aromatic flavor. Ripens about with Concord or a trifle later. Vine a strong healthy grower. 1 year, each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; 2 years, each, 30c; dozen, \$3.25.

#### BRIGHTON

Until the introduction of Caco, this was regarded as the highest in quality of all hardy grapes. The berries are wine red, like Caco, but not so large though the bunch, if anything, is larger. Ripens in midseason. 1 year, each, 30c; dozen, \$3.25; 2 year, 35c; dozen, \$3.75.

#### Buy Direct, Save Money



PLANTS

## PLANTS

## **GRAPES, CONTINUED**

**CONCORD**—From sheer merit the Concord has become the most popular grape in the United States. Taking the country as a whole, more Concords are now in bearing than of any other variety. No other grape succeeds over such a wide area or in so many different soils. It is the standby in grapes. New varieties may come, but they have to work hard to reach the Concord standard for market purposes. Matures work hard to reach the Concord standard for instruction purposes that the early, keeps well, ships well and seals well. Bunches big, berries are juicy sweet and delicious. Concord overcomes local grape troubles and is safe to plant. Price, 1 year, each, 20c; dozen; \$2.25; 100 for \$10.00; 2 year, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75.

**CATAWBA**—If you asked some of the big Grape growers "Which is the best red variety?" the answer would be "Catawaba." There would be good reasons for the answer, too. It is last to ripen; the bunch and berries are large; the flesh is juicy, pulpy, and possesses a delightful sugary flavor. Price, 1 year, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75; 2 year, each, 30c; dozen \$3.25.

**CAMPBELL** (Campbell's Early)—Bunch large and compact; berries large, somewhat elliptical in shape; flesh pulpy, tender, yet firm enough to keep and ship well; flavor sugary and aromatic. An ex-cellent table Grape; splendid for jelly and catsup. Price, 1 year old, each, 30c; dozen, \$3.25; 2 year old, each, 35c; dozen, \$3.75.

**DELAWARE**—An old time red variety. Bunch and berry small, re-fined, high quality. Prolific but a rather weak grower and somewhat subject to mildew. 1 year, each, 25c, dozen, \$2.75; 2 years, each, 30c; dozen, \$3.25.

**MOORE'S EARLY**—The most reliable very early variety and is proving immensely profitable to commercial growers. Medium bunch, berry large, jet black with purple bloom, ripens fully two weeks earlier than Concord. 1 year, each, 20c; dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75.

accen, \$2.75. **TRAGAERA**—The standard white Grape. Both bunch and berries are large to very large, handsome, and well formed. The flesh is firm, juicy, without much pulp; flavor is of the very best, and does not re-semble any other sort. The vine is hardy, vigorous, and extremely productive. Frankly speaking, it is hard to describe Niagara, so num-erous are its points of superiority. The best way is to try some your-self. Plant the vines anywhere. Do it this year. Price, 1-year, each, 20c. dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75.



Moore's Early

75. **POCKLINGTON**—A very handsome Grape of extra large size. Bunch large and compact; flesh juicy with considerable pulp; flavor sugary, and delicious. Vines are extremely healthy and hardy. Pocklington is perhaps the most beautiful Grape in cultivation. Price, 1 year, each, 20c; dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75. **SALEM**—Bunch large and heavy; berries round, and an inch thick; flesh tender; flavor sweet, aromatic. For table it is hard to beat. Salem ought to be in every garden and small vineyard. Price, 1 year, each, 20c; dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75. **VERGENNES**—Originated in Vermont, which is proof enough of this Grape's hardiness. Bunch and berries large; flesh juicy and with little pulp; flavor sweet and delightful. Price, 1 year, each, 20c, dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75. **WOODBUFF**—Bunch short and compact; berries large; flesh juicy; flavor deliciously subacid. Just right for making grape jelly. A very

flavor deliciously subacid. Just right for making grape jelly. A very desirable variety. See recipe on page 16. Price, 1 year, each, 30c; dozen, \$3.25; 2 years, each, 35c; dozen, \$3.75. WORDEN—A black grape that resembles Concord closely but with

more tender pulp, higher quality, and ripens a week to ten days earlier. It is also a little larger in both bunch and berry than the Concord, 1 year, each, 20c; dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75.

WYOMING-Bunch small and compact; berries medium; flesh firm; flavor very agreeable although not so sweet, as Delaware. Price, 1 year, each, 20c; dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75.

## **GRAPE COLLECTION**

20 GRAPE VINES 1st CLASS OUR SELECTION \$3.00

Each season we have a surplus of some varieties and a short-age of others. This is usually due to good or poor crop conditions. We offer nothing but the very best varieties, so you are taking no chances on getting inferior stock. We do not like to have these plants go to waste, so are offering them to you at the follow-ing prices. OUR selection of varieties. so We offer 20 Grape Vines, all first class stock, No. 1 vines for \$3.00. Vines are guaranteed as to quality and purity.

OUR SEEDS

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**Quantity Prices on Grapes** Any Variety 25 Plants, 1 yr. \_\_\_\_\_ \$5.00 25 Plants 2 yr. \_\_\_\_ 6.00 100 Plants 1 yr. \_\_\_\_\_14.50 100 Plants 2 yr. \_\_\_\_\_ 20.00

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## SATISFIED CUSTOMERS

Dear Sir: This is to notify you that my shipment was received in very good condition, also promptly for which I wish to thank you.

I can always recommend you to any one wishing the best bulbs and plants.

Respectfully, Mrs. Charles Fauver, R. R. 1, Dayton, Ohio.

N. S. Pittsburg, Pa. Nov. 10, 1924 Geutlemen: I certainly am pleased with the quality of your stock and also with

quality of your stock and also with your treatment of customers. I shall be in need of a few delphiniums and perhaps some other small stock in the spring and shall certainly recom-mend you to my friends. Thanking you, I am, Yours truly, Mrs. John T. Brunner

## SPRING HILL NURSERIES

# STRAW-BERRIES

Strawberries are so well known and generally grown that it is hardly necessary to give much space to descriptions. If interested in to descriptions. If interested in knowing about the culture of straw-berries, we will be pleased to send our booklet. "What, Where, When and How to Plant," which tells about preparing bed, cultiva-tion, etc. We will only give here a few notes of general importance.

Ground must be well drained. Ground must be well prepared. Plant in spring—always the best time. Generous supply of well-rotted man-use is a great benefit. Protect plants when received from nur-sery; never allow roots to be exposed to the sun or wind. Plant in rows four feet apart and eighteen to twenty-four inches apart

in row. Crown of plant should never be below surface of ground.

**NOTE**—All varieties marked Imp. should be planted with other varieties marked Per to fertilize the blossoms. Good crops of those marked Per. can be grown when planted alone.

## LIST OF VARIETIES

**AROMA** (Per )—One of the finest for long-distance shipping. The large berries are bright red to the center. Of conical shape, with prominent yellow seeds that help to make them very attractive on the market. The quality is such that it is a leader with many growers.

it is a leader with many growers. **BRANDYWINE** (Per.)—A well-known variety that has proven very successful wherever planted. Produces immense quantities of large, very fine deep red berries that have a delightful flavor. The bright yellow seeds make a fine color contrast with the beautiful red fruit. This is one variety that has been a favorite in most all of the states east of the Rocky Mountains and also on the Pacific coast. The foliage of this variety is very large; the fruit stems strong and erect, holding the large berries well off the ground. We can freely recommend this as being one of the very best herries.

being one of the very best berries.

**BUBACH** (Imp.)—This variety has never failed to win a reputation wherever planted. It is fam-ous for its beautifully colored, large berries and mammoth crops. It is a leader among the money makers, an old, well tested variety that has never failed.

**ENHANCE** (Imp.)—A very good bearer for the market. The plant is a healthy and vigorous grower, reliable, productive, and of a good quality.

**FENDELL** (Imp.)—A comparatively new variety; seedling from the Wm. Belt, originated in 1915 by Charles E. Fendell. It is noted for the strong growing plants, extra large, fine-flavored berries, and great productiveness. It has a record of better t an sixteen thousand quarts per acre.

**GANDY** (Per.)—Another old favorite. Its popularity, instead of decreasing, is steadily increasing. The fruit is dark red with dark red seeds. A very late berry that does best on a heavy clay soil. Considered one of the best shippers ever known and has done well wherever tried.

GLEN MARY (Per.)-Midseason. Unexcelled as a long distance shipper and one of the best for our western states, as it resists dry weather admirably. A heavy bearer of large, delicious fruits.

HAVERLAND (Imp.)—On account of the hardiness, wonderful productiveness of the plants, and the general appearance, good shipping qualities, and excellent flavor, this berry continues to grow in popularity. It has always proven to be one of the best varieties planted, and thrives best with the Senator Dunlap as fertilizer.

**UNCLE JIM** (Per.)—Is a strong grower that bears large fruit of a rich color. One of the best for canning; a good market variety and a good sihpper. Heavy producer. Every strawberry patch should contain some of this variety.

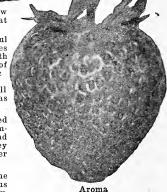
**SENATOR DUNLAP** (Per.)—The demand for this variety has been increasing steadily, as it has an unusually long fruiting season. It bears immense quantities of large, handsome, rich, fine-flavored, dark red berries, which are uni-form in size and shape and very attractive in appearance. The demand for this variety among fruit growers shows that it is coming to the front as one of the best.

PRICES: Sold Only in bunches of 25 or Over. Price per 100, \$1.50; Per 500, \$6.00; 1,000, \$8.50. Plant 1 to 134 feet in rows 4 fect wide.









Senator Dunlap

PLANTS

## **MASTODON STRAWBERRIES** A WONDERFUL NEW EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY

(The following article appeared in the Farm and Garden section of the Chicago Tribune, Sept. 23, '26.)

Mastodon, the great strawberry found in Indiana a few years ago, has stood the test in practically every section of the United States this season. It is now widely distributed and favorable reports come from experiment stations in various states where the berry has been tried.

In some places it is said this giant of the berry family produces three or four times as much fruit in a season as any four other varieties combined.

In a patch on B. W. and B. H. Keith's farm near Sawyer, Mich., a few weeks ago I counted from 30 to 89 strawberries to the plant. The Keith brothers, who have done perhaps more than anyone else to develop this new berry, say it is not uncommon to find a plant with 100 berries on it. One fruiting stem in the Keith patch had 24 berries in various stages from blossoms to ripe berries. Many plants this summer have produced from a pint to a quart of berries. It only takes a few of them to fill a quart cup or box, and they are highly flavored down to the center of the berry. Mastodon is an everbearer, resulting from a

cross between the Superba and a late ripening spring variety.

Berries of the Mastodon family, measuring 5 inches in circumference, were produced this year in the Keith patch. Nine of them covered the top of a quart size berry box and eighteen of them filled the box from side to-side and bottom to brim. Three of the berries weighed two ounces and five placed end to end measured eight inches.

## It is this large size and the great productive-ness that make the Mastodon stand out away ahead of other everbearers, growers say. Mastodon is a showy berry on the market stand, being red in color, and stands in the front row so

far as flavor is concerned. The Keith farm, near Sawyer, Mich., started with 3,000 plants and today the patch covers about six acres on moist, sandy loam soil. Up to Oct. 20, more than 600 16-quart cases or 10,-000 quarts of strawberries had been picked from the patch this season. Growers claim it is the most productive and profitable everbearing strawberry.

From plants set last April, ripe berries were picked on July 11, within 90 days after the plants were put in the ground. From the spring set plants berries were picked every three to five days, yielding by the first of August about 160 quarts per acre every five days, and at that time they sold at 30 cents a quart. Despite dry weather in early fall, 36 cases an acre were picked at one picking during the first week in September. These late picked berries sold at \$6 a 16-quart case, netting \$5.30 a case to the grower. Cold, cloudy weather brought the pickings down to 5 cases to the acre during the first week in October.

The Mastodon bears like the regular spring varieties and then comes out with another crop in the summer and fall. Light frosts do not hurt Mastodons. One year old plants springing up in the patch can be used to start a new bed. About 10,000 plants will be needed to each acre.

ASPARAC	
PLANT	5

Price, \$1.00 per 25 \$3.00 per 100; \$12.50 per 1,000.

(For Asparagus Seed, See Page 51.)

It is not necessary to tell the good qualities of the as-

the good qualities of the as-paragus, as it is known to everybody. May be either planted in fall or spring. Dig up the ground deep, put on plenty of well-rotted manure, thoroughly mixed in the soil, throw out a bed about four to five inches deep, lay the plants in by spreading the roots out well, and scatter the dirt over the plants about four inches, or the depth of the ground thrown out, press the dirt well around the plant by patting it down with a spade or shovel. Keep the crown of the asparagus cut regularly so it will not get too large and woody. It depends much on the care taken of the plants and the plant food given them than it does the variety planted. CONOVER'S COLOSSAL—Really

CONOVER'S COLOSSAL-Really colossal. Deep green shoots from one to two inches in diameter are sent up thickly from the crowns.

PALMETTO-In large markets, this asparagus brings the highest prices on account of the size, and beautiful ap-pearance of its stalks. Some years it is on the market several days before other varieties.

Mastodon Strawberries



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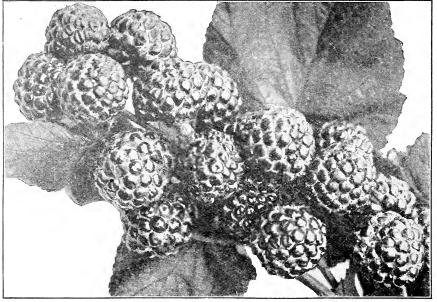
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## RHUBARB

Plants 15c each; \$1.00 per 10; \$7.50 per 100.

LINNAEUS - Leafstalks long, large, tender, juicy, produced quite early. Cellar-grown rhubarb with beautifully pink, tender stalks may be enjoyed in March by any one who will devote a little time to it. For this crop the plants are grown from spring until fall in very rich soil so as to establish a number of crowns on each root. In the fall a number of roots are packed together with rich soil in some cool, dark cel-lar. After the crop has been cut, the roots are replanted in the garden to regain their vigor for the next year's forcing.

# SELECT RASPBERRIES



Kansas

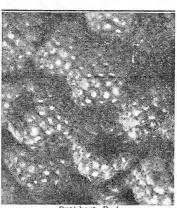
**KANSAS**—Plants are strong, vigorous grower, will stand extremes of drought and cold weather and still bear large crops. These will grow with less care than any others of the "tip" varieties.

## **GROWN FROM ROOTS** (CALLED SUCKER PLANTS)

**CUTHBERT**—Considered the queen of the market, as they bring a higher price on the market than any other of the red raspberries. The fruit is large, dark, crimson, firm, sweet, rich, highly flavored, and as beautiful as strawberries. This is one of the hardiest of the red raspberries and endures the

is one of the hardiest of the red raspberries and endures the extreme northern climates or the southern summers with equal vigor and productiveness.

MILLER'S RED—A very healthy grower that bears a good quality of bright red berries throughout the entire raspberry season. In fact, during some seasons, they bear fruit as late as August. An excellent shipper. KING—Very early red berry that always commands a



Cuthbert Red

good price. The plants are hardy and productive and the King Raspberry is earlier than any other variety. **RASPBERRY** 

PRICES \$1.25 for 25; \$3.00 for 100; \$12.00 for 500.

Roann, Ind., ept. 22 Dear Sirs: We appreciate the interest you have shown us in our past orders we have given you. Will say every plant grew and always have been pleased with the stock we have received from your nurseries. Expecting to set a lot of plants this fall. (Send catalog). S. Clinganan.

## GROWN FROM TIPS

**CARDINAL** On e of the most vigorous growers and one of the hardiest of all the raspberries. In fact, it is considered one of the very best purple berries. The best proof of this is that nearly all growers discard the other purple varieties after the Cardinals are once es-tablished. They produce a fine quality of dark red or almost purple berries through a long season. Of very fine quality for family 1150

**CUMBERLAND** — The fruit of this variety is largest of all the black caps;

all the black caps; firm, a good shipper, and one of the most profitable as a market berry. Very choice black cap.

**GREGG**—Known for many years by more people than is any other raspberry on the market. Large, showy, black, firm, and will ship well. Hardy and vigorous grower. Ripens about midseason.

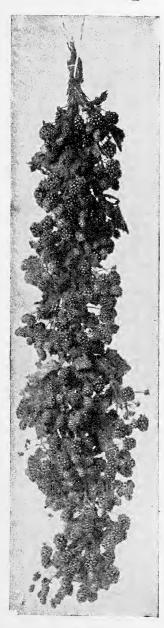
**HAYMAKER**—Very large, firm berry, good shipper, and one of the best for home use. A lighter red than the Cardinal. Plants are very hardy and a good crop may be depended upon each year.

Cumberland



# CHOICE SELECT BLACKBERRIES

Blower



Snyder

The Blackberry thrives well in almost any soil but to reach perfection demands a strong loam tending towards clay, rather than sand.

mands a strong loam tending towards clay, rather than sand. In many parts of the country, winter protection is a necessity, and often adds greatly to the yield where not considered really essential. The blackberry, as a rule, outyields all other members of this family and is usually one of the most profitable to grow when properly managed, providing the climate conditions are favorable. Planting is best done in the spring. If however, plants are set in the fall, each plant should be covered with a mulch of earth or straw manure, which should be removed in the spring. The pruning of the blackberry is not a difficult task, yet success depends upon the proper method. The old canes should be removed yearly; it is preferable in the summer after they have borne their crop of fruit. Cultivation should be frequent but shallow, as deep cultivation disturbs the roots and induces them to sucker. Pinch back canes when three or four feet high. It is best not to allow more than three or four canes to a hill. Blackberries should be planted about four feet mart in rows seven feet apart.

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#### AGAWAM

Fruit medium size, jet black, sweet and tender to the core; a valuable variety for home use, being sweet as soon as black.

#### BLOWER

Originated in the celebrated small fruit belt of Chautauqua Co., N. Y., where it has been thoroughly tested for several seasons. Claimed to be the hardiest, most productive, finest quality, and to bring on the market the highest price of all blackberries. Has produced 2694 berries on one bush, 2720 quarts on one-third acre. Large size, jet black, good shipping properties, best quality, and unexcelled productiveness are main features of this splendid new sort.

#### EARLY HARVEST

Best easily grown blackberry in cultivation. Fruit firm, of good quality; excellent shipper, good market variety. Needs some protection in winter.

#### **ELDORADO**

This is a comparatively new variety, and has proven itself to be the best of all blackberries under cultivation. After once fruiting, Eldorado berry growers discard almost all other varieties which they have. It is very hardy, claimed to have no equal in this respect. Fruit very large, jet black, good shipper, good quality, and a great producer. We personally recommend this variety above any other that is offered.

#### SNYDER

Very hardy, great producer, medium size and one of the best known varieties of blackberries, succeeding wherever planted. Over-production is its greatest fault.

#### TAYLOR

Berries of fine flavor, larger than Snyder, canes of vigorous growth, ironclad hardiness, and wonderfully prolific. Ripens late.

#### PRICE OF BLACKBERRIES

All Blackberries-10 Plants, 50c; 100, \$4.25; 500, \$20.00. Plant Spring or Fall, 5 to 7 feet apart.

## **DELICIOUS DEWBERRIES**

The Dewberry is a trailing or vine form of the Blackberry. May be trained to over stone piles, over rough embankments or rocky hillsides, and sometimes produce a very large crop of fruit annually over land where no other crop could be grown. The fruit is very large and always at a premium with the commission men or the open market. If they are planted where they can be cultivated, they should be plowed, and in the winter a coarse litter of mulch thrown over them. The vines will grow up through this and keep the fruit from the ground. We are only offering one variety which is considered the best of all Dewberries now in cultivation.

#### LUCRETIA DEWBERRIES

Fruit of high quality and very large, often one or two inches long and one inch in diameter. Perfectly hardy and a great bearer. 10 plants for 50c; 100 plants for \$3.00; 500 for \$12.00.

SPRING HILL NURSERIES

PLANTS

# VEGETABLE SEEDS

We are offering to our customers this year choice new crops of vegetables and flower seeds. These seeds have been selected because they are the best of their type or kind, and are back-ed by our reputation gained in over 70 years of honorable business dealings. On their quality and on the success they bring to you depends our entire future business. We want you to have every confidence in our seeds, and to know that they are the best seeds that can be grown. Remember that regardless of price, good seeds are cheapest in the long run.

## ASPARAGUS

**BONAVELETT'S GIANT**—The earliest and best of all asparagus. They come into bearing fully a year before all other varieties. Delicious flavor. Soak the seed in luke-warm water about twelve hours before planting. (For Asparagus Roots see page 22.) Price, Packet 5c; 1 ounce, 1/4 lb., 45c, postpaid.

### BEETS

**CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN** (40 days)-Can be used either for forcing or outside planting. One of the most popular varieties with gardeners because of its fine shape and beautiful dark red, almost black color. This variety matures before any other. Packet, 5 cents; 1 ounce, 15 cents; 1/2 lbs., 50 cents, postpaid. **DETROIT DARK RED** (50 days)—An ideal beet for home use. Is a heavy yielder and fine keeper. Has few side roots, grows to uniform size. Is ideal for pickling. Price: Packet, 10 cents; 1 ounce, 15 cents; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 45 cents, postpaid.

**EARLY BLOOD** (45 days)—A globe-shaper beet, fine for early spring crop, flesh tender, rich and crisp. This variety has coarse tops and is one of the best. Packet, 5 cents; 1 ounce, 15 cents; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 50 cents, postpaid.

**LONG SMOOTH BLOOD** (65 days)—This is the finest of the long beets. An ideal table beet and equal in every respect, both in color and flavor to any of the globe-shaped varieties. Packet, 5 cents; 1 ounce, 15 cents, <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 50c postpaid.

#### GREEN POD AND WAX BEANS OLD HOMESTEAD OR KENTUCKY WONDER (65 days)

Improved ong Orange Carrot Grand Link and the pole or running var-iety. It is an enormous producer, the long pods hanging in great clusters along the entire vine. Seed dark brown. Price: Big packet, 10 cents;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cents; 1 lb., 40 cents; 5 lbs., \$1.85 postpaid.

**IMPROVED GOLDEN WAX** (40 days)—One of the earliest wax beans. It is string-less, thick and pads are of good length. In color it is clear, waxy, golden yellow with fine buttery flavor. Price: Big packet, 10 cents; ½ lb., 25 cents; 1 lb., 40 cents; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

**EARLY YELLOW** (6 weeks) (40 days)—Earliest of all the beans and is ready for the table six weeks from the time of sowing and under favorable conditions in less time. Is a green bean and if kept picked will furnish beans throughout the entire seas-on. Big packet, 10 cents; ½ lb., 25 cents; 1 lb., 40 cents; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid. **BURFEE'S BUSH LIMA** (65 days)—This is the earliest of the bush Limas. It is a tremendous yielder grows only 18 inches high. Excellent quality. Big packet, 10 cents; ½ lb., 30 cents; 1 lb., 50 cents; 5 lbs., \$2.25, postpaid.

**BURPEE'S STRINGLESS GREEN POD**—This is the best stringless green pod variety in existence. It is well flavored, a great yielder, and has a long bearing season. Big packet, 10 cents; ½ lb., 25 cents, 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85 postpaid. **WHITE MARROW** (60 days)—This variety is extensively grown as a field bean for use the source of the seader are larger white, and

use. The seeds are large white, and twice the size of the ordinary navy bean and is its superior in every way. Big pkt.,  $10c; \frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c;5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

## CARROTS

CHANTENAY (60 days)-Best for table use or market gardener's rade. Rich orange color, delicious lavor. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 20c; ¼ b., 60c, postpaid.

IMPROVED LONG ORANGE (75 days)—Best long variety, heavy yielder, rich deep orange color, standard late variety. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 55c, postpaid.

GUERANDE or OX HEART (75 days)-Short, chunky variety; good flavor, a favor. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ½ lb., 55c postpaid.

## CAULIFLOWER

EARLY SNOWBALL (90 days)-Earliest, sure to head; if seed is sown in March, large heads produced early in June. Good variety for forcing. Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 80c; ½ oz., \$1.50, postpaid.

DRY WEATHER OR DANISH GIANT (100 days)—Late variety; drought resister, sure heads best for pickling. Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 80c; ½ oz., \$1.50, postpaid.

Detroit Dark Red Beet

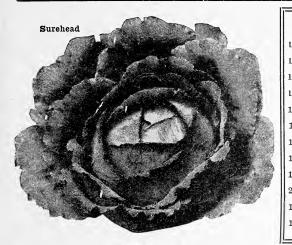
Improved Golden Wax



BULBS

TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO

SEEDS



## CABBAGE

**HOLLANDER OR BALLHEAD** (120 days)—The heads are of medium size and very solid, they average in weight nearly 8 pounds. They are just as solid in the spring as when put away in the fall. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 35c; 1/4 lb., 95c, postpaid.

SUREHEAD (100 days)—The main crop variety; makes a large solid head and some will grow heads weighing from 10 to 12 pounds. Has good keeping qualities. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 35c; 1/4 lb., 95c, postpaid.

EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD (75 days)--This is the earliest and hardest heading of the early varieties and should be depended upon for the first crop. Our seed is selected, choice stock. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 30c; 1/4 lb., 85c, postpaid.

PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH (110 days)--This is considered to be the best of the late standard varieties. It is a sure header, good keeper, very flat and solid. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 35c; 1/4 lb., 85c, postpaid.

### CELERY

WHITE PLUME (120 days)—One of the earliest and quickest growing varieties and the most crisp of all. It has white feather-like plumage making it a great table orna-ment. Price: Packet, 5c; ½ oz., 40c; 1 oz., 75c, postpaid. **GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING** (110) days—This is finest quality seed and as its name implies it is entirely self blanching. The stocks are a rich golden color, string-less and of the finest flavor. Good seed of this variety costs more to grow than ordinary seed and is worth the money. Price: Packet, 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 60c; 1 oz., \$1.00, postpaid postpaid.

## SWEET CORN

**GOLDEN BANTAM** (60 days)—This variety for the last twenty years has been considered the standard var-iety of all sweet corn in cultivation. It succeeds well any-where in the United States, the flavor is exceptionally sweet and pleasing, the ears are eight rowed, six to seven inches long and the sweetest of all corn. Big packet, 10c; ½ lb., 20c; 1 lb., 35c; 5 lbs., \$1.50, postpaid. STOWELL'S EVERGREEEN (80 days)—This is an old popular variety, hardy, productive, tender and sugary. It is especially adapted to home use because of its remaining a long time in suitable estable condition. Big packet 10c:

is especially adapted to home use because of its remaining a long time in suitable estable condition. Big packet, 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c; 1 lb., 35c; 5 lbs., \$1.50, postpaid. **COUNTRY GENTLEMAN** (70 days)—This is some-times known as shoe-peg from the small peg-like kernels, irregularly placed on the cob. Medium sized ear, with small cob, giving great depth to the kernels. The quality of this variety is fine and is preferred by some to all others. Big packet, 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c; 1 lb., 35c; 5 lbs., \$1.50, ppd.

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	pkt. Turnip, Purple	.10	1	pkt. Musk Melon,
L	Top White Globe	.05		Osage
1	pkt. Kohl Rabi, Early		1	pkt. Watermelon,
^	White Vienna	.05		Cole's Early
1	pkt. Beans, Golden	.00	1	pkt. Onion, Yellow
	Wax	.10		Globe (Danvers)
1	pkt. Beet, Crosby's		1	pkt. Parsley, Moss
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	Scarlet Globe	.10		best
1	pkt. Celery, White	10	1	pkt. Pepper, Ruby
	Plume	.10	-	King pkt. Pumpkin, Sugar
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	Evergreen	.10	1	pkt. Radish, Icicle

## CUCUMBER

CHAMPION PICKLER (68 days) -This is the best known pickling variety and is generally used by all big pickling factories. It can be re-lied upon to produce a big crop. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 40c, rectroid 1 postpaid.

IMPROVED WHITE SPINE (55 days)-This variety is rich green in color and very produc-tive. It is a continuous bearer and possibly the best for general use. Pkt, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ½ lb., 45c, postpaid.

45c, postpaid. **EARLY FORTUNE** (52 days) —This is probably the best and finest cucumber introduced. The fruit when matured averages eight inches in length and re tain their color for a remarkable length of time. The seed cavities are very small and the vine very generous and disease re sisting. It bears equally as goo. sisting. It bears equally as good as the pickling varieties and an enormous yielder. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz. 20c; 1/2 lb., 60c, postpaid.



LARGE GREEN CURLED (40 days)—Endive is very use-ful as a salad late in the year. CURLED Leaves are also eaten boiled and are very good. Plant them out when six inches high in shallow trenches. Try them this year. Price: Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c, noctoaid postpaid.

## **KOHL RABI**

WHITE EARLY VIENNA (50 days)—A useful cousin of the cabbage, in flavor it is very much like a turnip and is in satisfactory table condition during July and August when it is impossible to grow turnips. Use them young. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 30c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

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Improved White Spine

NOTHING LIKE FRESH VEGETABLES OUT OF YOUR OWN GARDEN



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## SPRING HILL NURSERIES

PLANTS

## LETTUCE

BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON (40 days)-The best known and perhaps the most used of any other variety of leaf lettuce. It is very early and hardy with thick curly and very tender leaves. Stands the summer heat well. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; 1/2 lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

GRAND RAPIDS (38 days)-One of the best forcing varseeded Simpson only the leaves are more crimpy and curled. Price, Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 90c, postpaid.

**BIG BOSTON** (45 days)—The most popular variety of head lettuce both North and South. Heads are large and compact, light green with slightly ruffled edges. Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., \$1.20, postpaid.

**PRIZE HEAD** (50 days)—Color bright green, is tinged with brownish red. It is of superb flavor, tender and hardy. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 90c, postpaid.

## ONIONS

**SOUTHPOET WHITE GLOBE** (120 days)—This variety gets the highest market price. They are good shaped with clear white skin. Should be dried in the shade. Price, Big Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 85c; postpaid.

**DANVERS YELLOW GLOBE** (100 days)—A well known and standard variety, heavy cropper and excellent keeper. Will ripen early and very firm and solid. Big Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 85c, postpaid.

**LARGE RED WEATHERSFIELD** (100 days)—This is a standard variety in the East. It makes a large sized flat onion, is deep purplish red in color. Flesh is a pur-plish white, moderately fine grained and bish white, moderately fine grained and strongly flavored. For markets demanding a red onion this is the variety to grow, as it matures early and is productive. Big Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> lb., 85c, postpaid.

PRIZETAKER (100 days)-The largest **PRIZETAKER** (100 days)—The largest but also latest maturing. A yellow, American onion, globular in shape with light yellow color. If they are planted in hot beds in early spring and replanted outdoors, onions weighing 4 to 5 lbs. are not uncommon. Big pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 85c, postpaid.

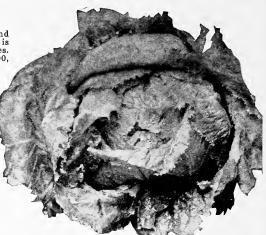
## PARSLEY

DWARF MOSS CURLED (65 days)-A compact groving and beautifully curled varity, to be used for either outdoors or green-house culture. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 60c, postpaid.

## EGG PLANT

NEW YORK IMPROVED PURPLE (125 days)-The fruit of this variety is remarkably large often weighing from 5 to 6 lbs. The skin is deep purple and is adapted to many soils and conditions. Pkt., 5c; ½ oz., 40c; 1 oz., 70c, postpaid.





## PEPPERS

**MAMMOTH RUBY KING** (130 days)—The blocky al-most scarlet fruits average 4½ inches in length and the flesh is thick and sweet. Pkt., 5c; ½ oz., 35c, postpaid.

## **CHINESE GIANT** (130 days)—The largest of all the peppers and early. Grows from four to five inches across at the base and equally as long, divided into four large sections. Fruits are of a thick, chunky form, very thick and meaty. Fine for stuffing and makes excellent salads. Price, Pkt., 5c; ½ oz., 35c, postpaid. CHINESE GIANT (130 days)-The larg-

## WATERMELONS

TOM WATSON (90 days)-Oblong in shape, rind is very thin, flesh is dark red, very crisp and most delicious. Price, Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c, postpaid.

**KLECKLEY'S SWEET** (70 days)—Skin is rich dark green and the flesh is a bright scarlet and ripens very close to the rind. Price, Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ 1b., 45c, postpaid.

King COLE'S EARLY (60 days)—A choice melon for the home garden. The flesh is bright red, crisp, sweet and of fine flavor, of medium size, but solid, with thin rind. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ½ lb., 50c, postpaid. Ruby King

## SQUASH

HUBBARD (65 days)—This is a favorite because of its many good qualities. It keeps well, bakes or boils dry and is very sweet and richly flavored. An excellent market variety for which there is always a ready sale. Price, Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 65c, postpaid.

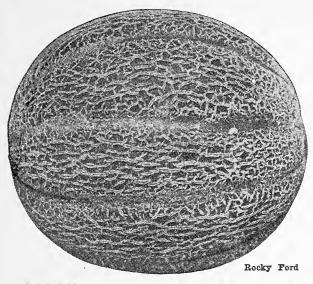


## These Tablets are the Last Word in Modern Gardening Efficiency

All growing plants must be fed if you expect them to produce results, and they respond in a remarkable way to proper feeding. Everything you grow depends on fertilization. STIM-U-PLANT will make flowering plants bloom freely and hold their blossoms longer; foliage plants quickly put on new growth; vegetable crops, berry bushes, fruit and other trees increase production, so it pays for itself many times over in a season.

Easy to Use-Immediate Results-Directions with Every Package

This wonderful fertilizer and plant food is odorless—has no obnoxious, messy characteristics. To use, simply insert a tablet in soil near each plant; or dissolve in water at the rate of four tablets per gallon and use as liquid manure. For plants in drills, put tablets a foot apart along row; in beds, a foot apart each way. Complete, easy directions with every package. Tablets dissolve readily, insuring that the richest kind of plant food goes at once to the plant feeder; roots exactly where and when food is needed. Prices, postpaid: Small size, 25 cents; 100 tablets, 75 cents; 1,000 tablets, in bucket, \$3.50.



## MUSKMELONS

**BOCKY FORD CANTALOUPE---**The best known of all muskmelons; it is netted, oval in shape and averages 6 inches in length, most delicious flavor. Our seed is genuine Rocky Ford. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 60c, postpaid.

**OSAGE**—Perhaps the most popular salmon fleshed variety grown. Skin very dark green, slightly netted flesh rich salmon color and very thick and meaty, excellent sweet flavor. Is planted extensively by market gardeners. Packet, 5c;' 1 oz., 15c; '4 lb., 55a meetneld. 55c, postpaid.

**HONEY DEW**—New melon; has become very popular. About 10 inches long, 8 inches diameter. Surface smooth without ribs or netting. It is very sweet and has a flavor not found in any other melon. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c, postpaid. **TIP TOP** (80 days)—Very productive melon, medium to lavor size paceful round clichtly ribbad

dium to large size, nearly round, slightly ribbed, fairly well covered with shallow netting. Flesh is deep yellow. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 60c, postpaid.

## PARSNIPS

**HOLLOW CROWN** (85 days)—The toots are very long and end abruptly with a tapped root. Our strain has a very smooth white skin. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 50c, postpaid.

## SALSIFY OR VEGETABLE OYSTER

SANDWICH ISLAND (95 days)—This is often called the oyster plant and is one of the most delicious and nutritious of vegetables as it produces a distinct oyster flavor when cooked. They look some-thing like parsnips and the roots are hardy and can remain outside all winter. Try some of these this year. Price: Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 35c, postpaid.

## PUMPKINS

SUGAR OR PIE (65 days)—This is a handsome and very prolific variety, deep orange yellow, good keeper, sweet in taste and as its name implies is excellent for pies. Price: Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c, postpaid.

pumpkin for the market and stock feeding; grows to a very large size. Price: Packet, 5c; 1 oz.,

10c; ¼ lb., 30c, postpaid.



**BLOOMSDALE** (45 days) -The leaves of this variety Will stand out all winter south of the Ohio river, one of the most popular. Frice:Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c, post-paid.

## PEAS

Pie Pumpkin

LITTLE GEM (55 days)—This is an extra early, wrinkled pea, grows about 15 inches high and is a prolific bearer. Big packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

FIRST AND BEST (50 days)—The pods of this variety are filled with round, smooth peas of excellent flavor. Very early producer and hardy. Grows to the height of 2½ feet. Big packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

HORSFORDS MARKET GARDEN (60 days)—A great, wrinkled, sweet and prolific bearer. Grows to a height of 2 feet and has a very delicious flavor. Big packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

AMERICAN WONDER (55 days)—Early wrinkled pea, growing up to 12 inches high, and producing well filled pods of the finest flavor. Big packet, 10c; ½ lb., 30c; 1 lb., 55c; 5 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid.

**TELEPHONE** (70 days)—This variety is a leader with market gardeners and is very hardy and productive. Pods are 4 to 5 inches long with a fine quality of peas. Grows to a height of about four feet. Price: Big packet, 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85 postpaid.

## WARNING

Don't put off getting your seeds till you need them and then get them anywhere. Do not take a chance of getting old seeds that may have lost their germination to a large extent.

Remember that with ideal conditions, with lots of labor, rain, sun-shine, warm weather and good soil, all of this will not help you to a good garden if you do not have good seed.

## WE GUARANTEE OURS TO BE THE BEST THAT CAN BE PRODUCED.

Telephone Peas

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## TOMATOES

**JOHN BAER** (85 days)—This variety grows to a very large size, free from core and is an attractive bright red. It is one of the most profitable varieties, one plant often baving from 50 to 70 fruits which rip-en evenly and seldom burst. Price: Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 40c; 14 b \$125 postraid 40c; 1/4 lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

**PONDEROSA** (110 days)—In addition to its enorm-ous size this tomato is very solid as it has but few seeds. It is a beautiful crimson, solid throughout and is quite early. Price: Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 60c; ¼ lb., \$2, postpaid.

SPARK'S EARLIANA (85 days)-Remarkable for its earliness, large size, uniform shape, attractive red color, and productiveness. The fruit is solid and the quality is all that could be desired. The leading early market variety. Price: Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 40c; ¼ lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

STONE (125 days)—A fine tomato for main crop, for market or canning. The fruit is perfectly smooth, of a beautiful red color and very large. It ripens evenly and is free from rot, even in wet seasons when other sorts have rotted badly. Price: Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 40c; 14 bb \$125 noetneid 1b., \$1.25, postpaid. 1/1



## RADISH

CINCINNATI MARKET (28 days)-Very fine extra early variety, bright red and transparent. Very tender and delicious when full grown. Has long smooth root, small top. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c, postpaid.

WHITE ICICLE (25 days)—This radish grows about 4 inches long, transparent white with short leaves. It makes its growth very quickly, is of excellent flavor and desirable either for home or gardeners' use. Price, Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb., 45c, postpaid.

Price, Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ 10., 45c, postpau. SCARLET GLOBE (20 days).—This is the most quickly matured var-iety, oval in shape and a brilliant red with white flesh, solid, crisp and mild. Price, Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ 1b., 50c, postpaid. SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIP (21 days).—An early variety of medium size and excellent flavor; and of handsome appearance. The best of the round varieties. Price: Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ 1b., 50c, nostpaid postpaid.

## **READ WHAT OTHERS SAY**

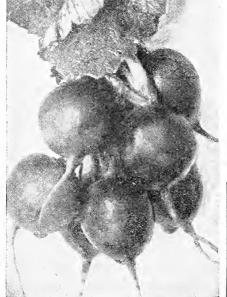
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SPRING HILL NURSERIES: We are very well satisfied with the trees and seeds we got

from you. The collection of seeds was wonderful. I think we shall want some seeds and a few shrubs in the

Spring. Thanking you for the catalog and all past favors, I am with best wishes,

GEORGE WOLF, Edwardsville, Ill.



Scarlet Globe

## TURNIPS

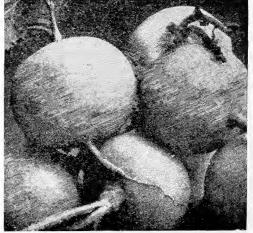
**PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAVED** (55 days)—One of the most popular sorts and is largely grown for markets. It is purple or dark red on top with a white base. Price: Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; 1/1 lb., 40c, postpaid.

EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH (40 days)-An excellent flat turnip, highly flavored and flesh is tender and sweet. Can be grown for a fall crop. Price: Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; 1/2 lb., 40c, postpaid.

**EARLY SNOWBALL** (45 days)—This pure white variety that is very popular, cooks up sweet and tender and is considered one of the best white early turnips grown. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c, postpaid.

74 10., eoc. postpard. **FURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE** (70 days)—This is the most popular turnip grown and is in much demand in all the markets. Of globular shape, very handsome and of superior quality either for table or stock. It is early, of rapid growth and an excellent keeper. Flesh pure white, skin white with purple top. Price: Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 40c, postpaid.

Seneca Falls, N. Y., April 16, 1925. Dear Sirs:-The Poplar Trees ordered from you came safely and in good condition. Have them planted, and am much pleased with their looks. The other two ordered from you a year ago are doing wonderfully well; are just ready to leaf; am afraid they are a little precocious and will get nipped by frosts. Respectfully.



Early Snowball

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## BULBS

TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO



### SWEET ALYSSUM

A fine old fashioned flower appreciated by ev-eryone, especially by those requiring a good pure white edge to their garden or a good plant for rock work or hanging baskets. It grows dwarf and very sweet scented, and blooms continuously, one plant often hav-ing as high as 100 snow white blooms at one time. Price, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

## ANTIRRHINUM

SNAP DRAGON-Another real old favorite which you can see growing in all the best gardens through-out the country. These

out the country. These constant both wet and drought and produce beautiful stems of every shade and color and continue to bloom in increasing pro-fusion until frost cuts them off. Especially valuable for bedding. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

### CARNATION

**MARGUERITA**—Carnations are a favorite with all flower lovers and this new strain is one of the most valuable introductions of modern times. They should be sown under glass or indoors in January or February and transplanted as soon as ready. They com-mence to flower in July and produce a wealth of large blooms of great variety and color until cut off by the frost. Be sure and try some of these. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts, 25c, postpaid.

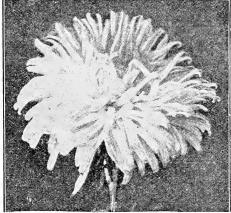
CALLIOPSIS, OR COREOPSIS (Large Flowered Mixed) — One of the easiest grown of the garden annuals. These new sorts form perfect little bushes about 10 inches high by 1 foot across and are a perfect mass of bloom from early summer until cut down by frost. Flowers range in color through yellow, golden and crimson colors. Price, Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts for 10c, postpaid.

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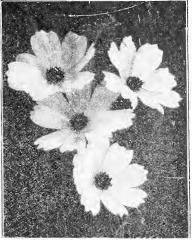
EARLY FLOWERING-This strain blooms fully 2 months earlier than any other. Seeds sown outdoors in May produce blooming plants in July, and continue to bloom till frost. Its delicate fern like foliage and crimson and pink flowers form a pleasing contrast. The cut bloom will last a week or more if kept in water. Price: Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

#### EVERLASTING FLOWERS

STRAW FLOWER—One of the best of the "everlastings." They succeed in any good garden soil. The large, double flowers of rich, glittering colors make a fine display in beds or borders, but are especially grown to dry for winter use in baskets, vases, etc. Large pkt., 10c; 3 pkts, 25c, postpaid.



#### Comet Aster



Cosmos

#### ASTER

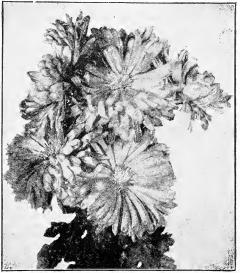
COMET-Best known of any of the **COMET**—Best known of any of the asters and is immensely popular. Very large flowering variety. The flowers mostly resemble the chrys-anthemum, blooming all summer. Blossoms sometimes measure from 4 to 5 inches across. Price, Pkt., 10a, 3 markets for 25a protectionid. 10c; 3 packets for 25c, postpaid.

#### CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Of all the anual these pretty flow-ers perhaps hold the leading posi-tion. They are beautiful in beds and tion. They are beautiful in beds and borders and good for window boxes or cutting. They also make useful pot plants and when used for this purpose they should be sown under glass or indoors. They grow to a height of 1 to 1½ feet. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

#### **BACHELOR'S BUTTON**

They bear their artistic flowers on long stems and will last a long time after beingg cgut, making it an ideal plant for cut flowers. Price: Packet, 5c; 3 pkts, 10c, postpaid



Chrysanthemums

## SPRING HILL NURSERIES

## FLOWER SEEDS-CONTINUED BALSAM

**CAMELLIA OR LADY SLIPPER**—Not only one of the most beau-tiful flowers, but also one of the easiest to grow. The branches make perfect pyramids of bloom and under good conditions carry as many as 500 blooms to the plants. They are strained and are of the most gor-geous colors and a bed of these is truly a remarkable sight. Price: 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid. pkts., 10c, postpaid.

#### COCKSCOMB

A very attractive annual. The crested heads of flowers resemble a cock's comb. The plumed heads are like great feathers. Sow the seed directly in the garden or start early and transplant. Price: Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c. postpaid.

## KOCHIA

CYPRESS OR MEXICAN FIRE BUSH-This splendid annual plant grows very quickly from seed sown in the open ground, as soon as weath grows very durcky includes seed sown in the open ground, as soon as wear-er permits in the spring. These plants also make attractive globe-shaped bushes as large sometimes as 3 ft, high and 2 ft, across, Leaves are slender and are a light pea green color until September, when they become carmine or blood red in color. At the same time the ends of branches are thickly set with small bright scarlet flowers and produces a very striking effect. Price: Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

#### HELIOTROPE

Both the flowers and foliage of this plant are deliciously fragrant.

They are easily raised from seed and spring planting will give you fine summer blooming plants. Are very good for cut flowers. Price: Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

#### CANDYTUFT

WHITE ROCKET-One of the oldest annuals in existence and more popu-lar than ever. It grows from 4 to 5 inches high, which makes it an excep-tionally fine border plant. It is perfectly hardy, eas-ily grown, extremely fragrant. Is splendid for cut flowers which the plants produce in wonderful prothroughout fusion the whole season. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

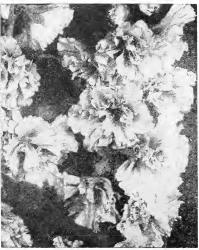
### MORNING GLORY

-Morning Glory

JAP GIANT FLOWERING-The flowers of this variety are of enormous size with beautiful colorings and markings that are quite beyond description. They include every shade and color from snow white to deep purple. Price, packet, 5c; 3 packets, 10c, postpaid.

#### MIGNONETTE

Our Mammoth Flowering Mignonette is much superior to the com-mon variety so often bought in the stores. The flowers are a magnifi-cent bright red, extremely



Hollyhocks

showy and of enormous size foliage beautiful rich green. It is a splendid flower for cutting and will remain fresh and fragrant for ten to twelve days in the house. Price: Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., for 10c, postpaid.



FOUR O'CLOCK-This old time free flowering garden favorite does well in any soil and under al-most all conditions. Pro-duces large flowers of many duces large flowers of many brilliant colors which are at their best during the af-ternoon when the flowers are fully expanded. Height, 2 feet. Packet, 5c; 3 pkts., 10c pacturaid 10c, postpaid.

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#### Cockscomb

#### LARKSPUR

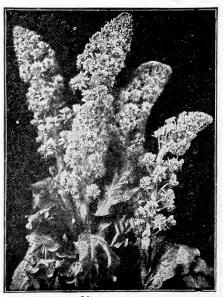
**DWARF BOCKET**—One of the easiest flowers to grow and centainly one of the pretiest. It is the Annual Delphinium, grows 1½ to 2 feet high. It is especially fine for cut flowers and produces blue, rose, white, pink, carmine and purple flowers. Do not miss the real pleasure to be derived from these beautiful plants. Price: Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts, 10c, postpaid.

### HOLLYHOCKS

**DOUBLE PLOWERING**—This is com-paratively a new variety and flowers very quickly from seed. Plants from seed sown in May will bloom in July and will flower profusely until frost. They are very beau-tifully formed and there is a great variety of eolors, including marcon, pink, rose, crim-son, white, and scarlet of dainty and exquis-ite blending. Packet, 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, post-paid. paid.

#### PANSY

GIANT BUTTERFLY—This is the largest flowering Pansy in the world and is a su-perb mixture of the best types in every known class. Will produce enormous blooms. Packet, 15c; 3 pkts., 85c, postpaid.



Mignonette



## FLOWER SEEDS-CONTINUED

## PORTULACA

MOSS ROSE-This charming little hardy annual is unrivaled for brill-iancy. Nothing is prettier for beds, brilledging and rockwork, and it is frequently used to sow broadcast over sunny banks, etc., As an under-growth for taller plants is also valuable. The flowers also valuable. The Howers are of the richest colors and will bloom from July until frost. Stands dry weather. Price: Packet, 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

## NASTURTIUMS

FLOWERING GIANT TALL-This fine strain contains a wealth of color, from crimson and rose to yellow, orange, white, spotted, etc. Very fine for bedding. Packet, 5c; 1 oz. 15c; 1/2 lb., 40c, postpaid.

GIANT FLOWERING TOM THUMB-Very FLOWERING best dwarf nasturtium and are among the easiest plants to grow. They reach a height planus to grow. They reach a height of 10 inches to 1 foot, are complete-ly covered with mammoth flowers measuring from 2 to 3 inches across. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c, post-paid.

Spencer Sweet Peas

## AFRICAN MARIGOLD

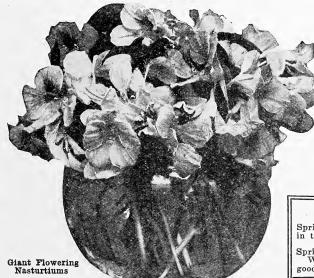
The old fashioned favorites are annuals of the easiest cultivation. This type is the enormous flowered one, blooming very large in showy orange or lemon shades. The flowers are as regular and perfect as the Dahlia. For a garden display during the summer and fall nothing can surpass it. Price, pkt., 5c. 3 pkts., 10c; postpaid.

## OVE IN A MIST

**NIGELLA**—This beautiful annual is very pretty, interesting and easy to grow. The foliage is fine and feathery and the flowers are most in shades of blue and are surrounded by a border resembling green lace. They are very good for cut flower purposes. Price: Packet, 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

## **MOON FLOWER**

**MOON VINE**—This is a splendid annual climber of most rapid growth. It has beautiful flowers of various colors. Often grows 30 feet, in a year. It blooms on cloudy days and at evenings. Good for terraces, verandas and for covering unsightly objects. The seed should be soaked in water 34 hours and a notch cut in the end of the seed before planting. Price: Packet, 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.





African Marigold

#### SENSITIVE PLANT

MIMOSA PUDICA-A very interesting plant to grow. It gets its name from the fact that it is sensitive to touch. The least touch will cause them to fold their leaves in an almost human manner. A neat and attractive plant. Price: Packet, 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

#### SWEET PEAS

AMERICAN SPENCER (White)-There is amendiation SFENCEE (White)—There is no flower so universally grown as the sweet pea and everybody wants the finest and best flowers obtainable. Our American Spencer is a great fav-orite, has large beautiful white flowers and is one of the most wonderful varieties in existence. Price: Packet, 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

COUNTESS SPENCER (Pink)--Another wonder of the Sweet Pea family. Magnificent pale pink flower. Often measures 2 to 2½ inches across. Extremely popular for cut flowers and bouquets. One of the best recent additions to the Sweet Pea family. Packet, 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

CHOICE MIXED-Grandiflora type. Packet, 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

#### PETUNIAS

**MODEL MIXED**-This mixture is unequalled for size of bloom and diversity of color. The flowers are beautifully striped and blotched and include all the best colors. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, ppd.

#### **READ THIS**

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Spring Hill Nurseries: Connersville, Ind., Oct. 14 We especially like the Earliana Tomato, smooth. good quality and productive. Mrs. E. C. D

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## PLANTS

## FLOWER SEEDS CONTINUED

POPPIES

**SHIRLEY OR GHOST POPPIES**—It is impossible to do these flowers full justice in a description. This is a wonderful strain of single poppies which often attain a size of four to five inches across.

Shirley Poppies

SALVIA

SCARLET SAGE—A bed or border of Scarlet Sage always attracts attention and this variety has long been a leading fav-orite. We know of nothing that can equal the effect of a bed of these scarlet flowers when in full bloom. We offer only the full bloom. We offer only the large flowered variety which pro-duces flowers twice the size and twice as numerous as the old varieties. They grow to a height of about 3 feet with flowering stems from base to tip of plant. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

## ZINNIA

3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

GIANT FLOWEBING—These beautiful bedding plants will grow easily from seed and reach a height of from two to three feet. Thy produce very handsome flowers on long stems specially suitable for cut flowers. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts 10c postraid

Individual flow ers are exquisitely colored, ranging from pure white to deep blood red. Packet, 5c; 3 packets, 10c, postpaid.

EVENING PRIMROSE OENOTHERA-T his delightful **OENOTHERA**—This delightful little plant is getting to be better known in the garden and few peo-ple who have grown it would make their garden without at least a small bed or short border of it. The place to grow it is in a sunny spot where it will bear its large saucer shaped white and relaw flowers the groat white and yellow flowers the great-er part of the summer. These open at dusk and are very fragrant. Pkt., 10c: 3 pkts., for 25c.



Evening Primrose



## SWEET WILLIAM

**DIANTHUS**—Positively one of the loveliest of flowers and there is prob-ably no better known flower than this one. They are unequalled for color and fragrance and produce an immense wealth of bloom. A bed of these beau-tiful flowers will attract the attention of all who see them; for cut flowers they cannot be surpassed. Price: Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

### TEN WEEK STOCKS DOUBLE

GIANT FLOWERING MIXED-This stock is one of the most and diversity of color, fragrance, profusion and duration of bloom it is unsurpassed. Start the seeds in February and March, and as soon as the plants have their second pair of leaves, prick out into shallow boxes and in about four weeks the plants will be ready to pot; from which they should be transferred to the open ground in May or June. Large Pkt., 10c; 3 large pkts., 25c.

### VERBENAS

GIANT MIXED-This is one of the grand old favorites and needs no description. It has been improved almost beyond recognition. They do well in window boxes or pots and with little attention will give big returns in a gorgeous display of flowers. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

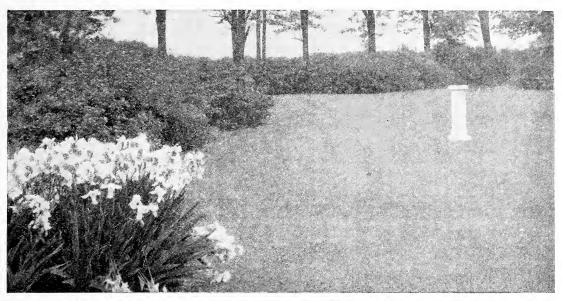
#### PHLOX

PHLOX DRUMMONDI-An improved giant flowering mix-ture of Phlox Drummondi. Contains every shade of color and is without doubt the best mix-ture that can be bought. Be sure to include some of these old favorites in your order. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.





Salvia



### EVERGREEN MIXT FOR A GOOD, CLEAN QUICK LAWN

This mixture is composed of the choicest grasses for lawn purposes, and is especially made to produce a crop of grass very quickly.

of grass very quickly. We have had where conditions were extremely favor-able a good stand ready for the mower in 3 weeks. This mixture contains no trash and is adapted to either elay, sandy or loam soil, and should be applied at the rate of 1 pound to 300 square feet, or in the case of renovating old lawn 1 pound to 600 square feet, depending upon how thin the grass is. Price, per pound, 55c, postpaid; 4 pounds for \$2.10, postpaid by freight or express; 10 pounds at \$5.00; 20 pounds at \$9.50.

## READ THIS

Spring Hill Nurseries: Oct. 1. The "Evergreen Mixture" grass seed I bought from you in the spring is fine, surely a good crop and was ready for the mower in three weeks time, after plant-ing. Harry Langford.

## WHITE DUTCH CLOVER

This is very good seed to use in renovating old lawns, especially on sandy soil, as this plant roots deeper than any other variety of grass and is not afforded so much by arought. Price per pound, \$1.10; 3 pounds, \$3.00, postpaid.

## **KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS**

One of the most fancy grasses that we have to-day. Is largely used in lawn making and starts growing early in the spring, continuing until the ground freezes late in the fall. Price per pound, 65c; 4 pounds, \$2.50, postpaid.

## SHADY NOOK MIXTURE

Have you a lawn that is shaded by trees. If so try a few pounds of our Shady Nook Grass Mixture which is just what you need in order to raise a patch of fine, com-pact, velvety grass under such conditions. Shaded ground often becomes sour and in this case it would be neces-sary to give it an application of Crushed Limestone before seeding, applied at the rate of 25 pounds for 500 square feet. Seed at the rate of 1 pound to about 250 square feet. Price per pound, 60c; 4 pounds for \$2.25, postpaid.

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1 pkt. Giant Butterfly Pansies\$0.15
1 pkt. Salvia or Scarlet Sage
1 pkt. Grandiflora Mixed Sweet Peas
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1 pkt. Giant Flowering Zinnias
1 pkt. Comet Asters
1 pkt. Phlox Drummondii
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Our Flower Seed Collection Above Will Supply Your Home With Beautiful Flowers all Summer Long

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M. C. Harold President Nellie Huston Sec'y-Treas Recreation Commission

City of BELLEFONTAINE, OHIO November 12, 1926 Mr. A. J. Vocke, Spring Hill Nurseries, Tippecanoe City, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Vocke:

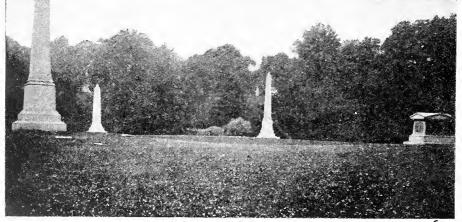
Dear Mr. Vocke: At a meeting of our Com-mission last evening your bill for work at Harmon Field was voted unanimously. There was considerable satisfaction ex-pressed your whole plan of the Field and for the way it has been carried out. I have not been down there this week, but if tomorrow is bright I shall go to the Field to make some pictures of the stone work. Mr. Moots. city Anditor

Mr. Moots, city Auditor, will mail you your check, I am sending him a voucher for it in this mail.

I want to thank you for the I want to thank you for the way you pushed the work, and for your whole plan of it. It pleases me mightily. It has been a real need and I long have wanted to get it started but until this autumn the time was not ripe. We shall hope for a fine Field in a year or two two.

Yours very truly, Nellie Huston

Write Mr. A. J. Vocke, Care Spring Hill Nurseries, for Information on Planting Home



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AQUILEGIA ENGLISH LONG SPUR-A fine strain, producing distinct strains of Purple, Blue, Red and Yellow Flowers. 15c each.

**CHRYSANTHA** (Yellow-Flowered Columbine) —Is one of the finest of all the hardy peren-nials. Flowers are primrose yellow, long spurs. Three to four feet. April to September, 15c each.

#### SPECIAL OFFER

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#### Handsome as an Orchid

Taken as a whole, this group of plants is un-paralleled in beauty; nothing on earth can vie with them unless it be the orchid of the tropics. Every shade of color may be found among them. This beautif;2, flower should be considered indispensable in every collection. For the wild garden, shrubbery border, margin of water, rockwork, etc., they are admirably adapted. Assorted good varieties, 10 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.00. Taken as a whole, this group of plants is un-



No. 1-5 Delphinium (Blue); No. 2-5 Campanula (Blue); No. 3-5 Digitalis Fox Glove (Pink and white); No. 4-5 Evening Primrose (yellow); No. 5-5 Phlox Rhinelander (Salmon); No. 6-5 Phlox Rynstrom (Rose); 7-5 Phlox, Miss Lingard (White); 35 Plants in all. A Great Combination or color. SPECIAL OFFER: 35 2-yr-old Plants as above, Blooming size \$4.20.

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ROCHESTER PEACH

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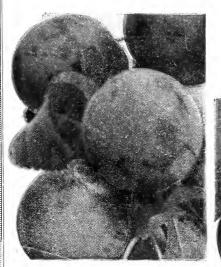
#### ENSEE APPLE

One of the finest apples in cultivation; a very late keeping winter apple. Can be kept in cold storage for a year; large size, beautiful color, exceptional flavor, and long keeping qualities; brings top price in the market. Price, 1 yr. old,  $3\cdot4$  ft., 10 for \$4.00; 100 for \$35.00; 2 yr. old,  $4\cdot5$  ft., 6 for \$4.20; 10 for \$6.00; 100 for \$50.00.

Rochester

#### LARGE MONTMORENCY CHERRY

LARGE MONTMORENCY CHERRY We think this strain the best of the sour cherries and should be planted in every orchard; large, dark red, handsome fruit. This variety is a late bloomer and will fruit every year. Plant on high or well drain-ed soil for best re-sults in cherries. Price: 2 year old, 3 to 4 feet; 6 for \$3.70; 10 for \$5.00; 100 for \$45.00.



Shippers Pride

#### SHIPPER'S PRIDE PLUM

Very large, dark purple plum. It often reaches a diameter of two inches; ripens in September; keeps well and has a very delicious flavor. Price; 2 year old 4-5 ft., 6 for \$3.60; 10 for \$5.00; 100 for \$45.00.

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Large Montmorency